

MYSORE PROVINCE JANUARY 1874

PROCEEDINGS OF COLONEL SIR R. J. MEADE, K.C.S.I.,
CHIEF COMMISSIONER FOR THE MONTH OF JUNE 1874

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FOR THE

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FINANCIAL.
GENERAL.
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MILITARY.—*Nil.*

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18th June 1874.*

Ordered, that the following letter No. 2020—49, dated 18th June 1874, be forwarded to the Government of India, Foreign Department.

J. S. F. MACKENZIE,
Offg. Secretary.

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MYSORE CHIEF COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
DATED BANGALORE, 18TH JUNE 1874.

FROM

THE OFFICIATING SECRETARY TO THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER
OF MYSORE.

TO

THE UNDER-SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA,
FOREIGN DEPARTMENT,
CALCUTTA.

IR,

With reference to the last para of your letter No. 55, J, dated the 4th April 1873, am desired by the Chief Commissioner to submit the following report on the measures adopted in this Province for the suppression of the crime of dacoity and the success which as attended them.

2. Immediately on receipt of the letter under acknowledgment, the Judicial Commissioner of Mysore, under instructions from this Office, issued a Circular to the Commissioners of Divisions drawing attention to the serious increase of dacoity during the previous two or three years, and pointing out the desirability of Deputy Commissioners of Districts personally investigating the preliminary enquiry into all cases of dacoity on the spot, since rapid action and prompt punishment appeared the most reliable means of suppressing the crime.

3. The Deputy Commissioners were required to submit to the Judicial Commissioner weekly reports of each case of dacoity up to time of final disposal, and any delay or apineness on the part of subordinates was at once punished. The defective measures adopted had to be reported, and the action taken by each Police authority had to be noted in detail, and not only the Killedar or Head of the Police but the Taluk Magistrate also was directed to visit the scene of the occurrence, and aid to the best of his ability in all important or intricate cases. Registers of doubtful characters, men of known bad conduct, or who were previously concerned in criminal cases, were ordered to be kept. Rewards were given to individuals who resisted the dacoits. The village authorities were required to aid the Police, and a certain amount of responsibility was considered to attach to the heads of villages in the neighbourhood.

4. From the Judicial Commissioner's report on the subject, it would appear that the exertions of both District Officers and the Police have been attended with the best results.

The returns for the past year, when compared with those of the two previous years, as shewn in the margin, indicate a very marked improvement in the operations of the Police, as directed by the Magistracy, for the suppression of this evil.

No. of Dacoities	...	...	...	In 1871.	In 1872.	In 1873.
				70	80	34

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5. The great decrease in the crime may, in some measure, be attributed to the fact that, in 1872, several notorious leaders of dacoity were captured. In some cases of dacoity with murder, the principals suffered the extreme penalty of the law, and in other less serious cases were transported for life.

6. In conclusion, I am to add that, until the Village Police are put on a proper footing, the extinction of the crime referred to can hardly be hoped for; but the Chief Commissioner considers that, with the measures now in progress with this object and the introduction of an efficient constabulary, it may fairly be expected that dacoities will be reduced to very restricted limits.

I have the honor to be

Sir,

Your most obedient Servant,

J. S. F. MACKENZIE

Offg. Secy.

PART I.

DEPT. OF REVENUE, AGRICULTURE & COMMERCE.

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Letter No. 797 of the 11th May 1874, from the Survey and Settlement Commissioner.

No. 1732—REV. 114, DATED BANGALORE, 6TH JUNE 1874.

ORDER THEREON.—With the foregoing letter the Survey Commissioner submits a report from the Superintendent of the Revenue Survey and Settlement shewing the progress of the operations of his Department during the Survey year from 1st November 1872 to 31st October 1873.

2. From the *marginal statement, it will be observed that 55,830 fields and 943,655

*Year.	Measurement.					
	Fields.			Acres.		
	Surveyed.	Tested.	Percent- age.	Surveyed.	Tested.	Percent- age.
1871—72 ..	61,933	4,579	7.39	1,081,163	37,342	3.46
1872—73 ...	55,830	4,998	8.95	943,655	49,262	5.22

acres were measured in 1872—73, against 61,933 fields and 1,081,163 acres in 1871—72, shewing a decrease of 6,103 fields and 137,508 acres in the year under report.

3. Four thousand nine-hundred and ninety-eight fields and 49,262 acres were tested, against 4,579 fields and 37,342 acres of the previous year. The percentage of the test applied was 8.95 (and not

9.4 as stated by the Survey Superintendent) in the number of fields and 5.22 in the number of acres actually surveyed, against 7.39 and 3.46 respectively in the year 1871—72. The average cost of measurement per acre was Rs. 0—5—4.3, against Rs. 0—2—7.5 of the previous year, shewing an increase of 8.8 pies in the year 1872—73. The test work appears to have been satisfactory, but the increase in the average cost of about 28 per cent is large.

4. After making due allowances for the difficulties in the process of measurement owing to the nature of the country, the total operations of the Measurement Branch for 1872—73 contrast unfavorably with those of the previous year, in which there were only 8 against 9½ establishments at work in the year under report. This falling off in the work is to be regretted; but the explanation given as to the cause therefor on the whole sufficiently accounts for it, and is accordingly accepted. Colonel Meade is however sorry to observe that the performance of Mr. Clerk's party is not considered altogether satisfactory, and the large proportion of days lost by it—26.41 per cent, or more than 10 per cent in excess of the average for the whole survey—reflects very seriously on that officer.

5. The *marginal statement shews the performance of the Classification and Settlement Branch of the Department.

*Year.	Classification.					
	Fields.			Acres.		
	Classed.	Tested.	Percent- age.	Classed.	Tested.	Percent- age.
1871—72 ...	48,910	4,837	9.89	658,005	24,555	3.57
1872—73 ...	56,784	5,296	9.3	1,051,076	37,713	3.58

56,784 fields and 1,051,076 acres were classified in 1872—73, as against 48,910 fields and 658,005 acres in the previous year; and 5,296 fields and 37,713 acres or 9.3 and 3.58 per cent respectively were tested, as against 4,837 fields and 24,555 acres or 9.89 and 3.57 respectively in the preceding year. These results are satisfactory, there being an increase both in the num-

ber of fields and acres classified and tested, as compared with 1871—72.

6. The average cost of classification per acre was Rs. 0-0-11.5, against Rs. 0-1-2.6 in 1871—72, shewing a decrease of Rs. 0-0-3.1, which is favorable to this branch of the Department.

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7. The tests applied to the survey and classification operations respectively showed a mean average error of $\frac{1}{10}$ of an acre, as against $\frac{3}{10}$ in the previous year for the former, and 5 pias as against 6 pias for the latter. Those results are satisfactory so far as the diminution of error is concerned; but the work tested appears to be comparatively small, being only 5.22 per cent on the surveyed and 3.58 on the classified area. The percentage of tests should be as large as can be carried out without practical detriment to the progress of the work, and there ought to be a minimum, which should be fixed by the Survey Commissioner. From the report under review, it is not clear that any waste lands have been tested. The Chief Commissioner considers it desirable that a certain *percentage of waste lands* should be tested to secure accuracy, as otherwise the classifiers and measurers would skim over this part of their operations under the impression that it would not be subjected to the scrutiny of their superior officer.

8. The subjoined statement shews the work performed by the establishment which was formed in the beginning of the year under report for the survey of *inam* villages.

						Villages.	Fields.	Acres.
Measured	...	...	...	...	...	29	1,948	27,217
Classed	...	...	...	...	...	11	719	8,164

The Chief Commissioner is glad to hear that the duties of the new establishment were efficiently carried on by Captain Major, and it is satisfactory to find that the *inamdars* on the whole gave their assistance to these operations very freely. It is however not stated in Captain Grant's report in how many villages regular survey and classification was introduced at the request of the *inam-dars*, and in how many a mere survey only and approximate valuation was made without fieldwar measurement, demarcation and classification in the manner directed in the Chief Commissioner's order on the subject. This point should be noticed in future reports.

9 The cost of the establishment for the survey of *inam* villages commenced but not completed in the year appears to have been Rs. 9,141. There are 2,950 whole *inam* villages including *Mahal Jodi* in the Province; at Rs. 326 per village, calculated upon the survey figures, the cost of all *inam* villages may be roughly estimated at Rs. 6,50,000, which is very large. But it is hoped that where *inam* villages are surveyed and assessed along with the Government villages in the taluks, the cost will be considerably reduced.

10. There were only 145 villages the maps of which at the close of the year had to be copied and distributed to the Local Officers. This branch of the work has never appeared in such an advanced and satisfactory state as in the year under report, and Captain Grant explains the cause of this small arrear not to be due to any increased exertion but to paucity of work from the unavoidable non-settlement of the Sagar and Honnali Taluks.

11. The monsoon office work, noticed in para 27 of Captain Grant's report, is satisfactory under the circumstances therein represented; but the statement appended to the report does not, as in former years, show the work of the Survey Superintendent or of his Deputy.

12. Captain Grant's statement No. 3 puts down the number of villages in which boundary marks were erected and examined in the year under report at 1,506, as against 1,504, and the cost is shewn to be Rs. 8,836—13—2, against Rs. 11,099—3—0 of the previous year. These results are satisfactory, but no explanation is furnished as to how many of the marks were constructed at the cost of the Government. It is very gratify-

to Colonel Meade to observe that the villagers are now erecting their own boundary marks more generally than before, and that the ill-feeling which often arises from the agency of Government in their erection is thus avoided.

13. The total expenditure for the year 1872—73 for both the Survey and Settlement Branches was Rs. 2,65,322-1-5, against Rs. 2,28,108-12-4, shewing a net increase of Rs. 37,213-5-1. This increase is due almost entirely to the additional strength of Officers and of the Establishments. The cost per acre under all heads was Rs. 0-4-3-8 in 1872—73, against Rs. 0-3-10-1 in the previous year, shewing an increase of pice 5-7 per acre. This increase of nearly 12½ per cent is a serious rise on the previous cost, though apparently unavoidable.

14. In the year under review, the settlement was introduced into three maganis of the Shikarpur Taluk, the remainder of the taluk having been settled in the previous year. All was ready for the introduction of the settlement into the Sagar and Honnali Taluks in the past season, but owing to changes in the channel through which settlement reports have hitherto been submitted, the introduction of the rates in the two taluks had to be deferred. It is subject for regret that this delay should have occurred.

15. With reference to paras 45 and 47 of Captain Grant's report, it is satisfactory to find that, except in one instance, no complaints of extortion or oppression were made against the subordinates of the Department, and that there has been no serious opposition to the Survey operations during the year, except one case in the Magadi Taluk.

16. The Chief Commissioner is glad to learn that, with the exception of Mr. Clerk, whose performance was noted in para 4 above, all the Officers of the Department have not only done their duty but also have done it well. The labors of the classing officers appear to merit special commendation.

17. Colonel Anderson is requested to accept for himself, and to convey to Captain Grant and Captain Anderson, the Chief Commissioner's acknowledgments of their services during the year under report.

J. S. F. MACKENZIE,
Offg. Secretary

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Agriculture & Commerce, 19th June 1874.*

From the Offg. Commissioner of the Nundydroog Division, To the Offg. Secretary to the Chief
Commissioner of Mysore, General Department, No. 53 Rev., dated Bangalore,
5th June 1874.

Adverting to the Notification in the *Mysore Gazette*, 6th February 1874, prohibiting the manufacture of earth-salt in villages situated within five miles of the boundary line between Mysore and the Madras Presidency, I have the honor to request that you will submit for the consideration of the Chief Commissioner the accompanying précis of correspondence with the Deputy Commissioner of Kolar.

2. The penalties to which exporters of earth-salt from Mysore are liable, were introduced for the special benefit of the revenue from sea-salt and with a view to its suppression in the Ceded Districts, and it now appears from the Deputy Commissioner's letter No. 48—19 of 10th April, that earth-salt is imported thence into Mysore. The same penalties should therefore be imposed for importation into Mysore, as for exportation from it.

3. I have to submit further for the consideration of the Chief Commissioner that the Mysore Government is entitled to compensation for loss of revenue resulting from the abolition of the salt-pans on the frontier line. The amount may not be large, but it has been surrendered by Mysore, for the exclusive benefit of Madras, which derives a very large sum, estimated at Rs. 16,06,400, contributed to its salt-revenue by the inhabitants of this Province, and I understand on good authority that, in similar cases where the interests of Native States have been affected, the Government of India has recognized the justice of claims for compensation.

Precis of Correspondence with the Deputy Commissioner of the Kolar District, on the importation, &c.,
of earth-salt from Her Majesty's Territories.

The Deputy Commissioner of Kolar brought to notice that a man of Hindoopoor of the Bellary District imported earth-salt into the Gudibanda Taluk, and asked for instructions whether the salt was to be confiscated and the party punished, as, in the Chief Commissioner's Notification of 6th February 1874, nothing is said about importation, while exportation of the article to Her Majesty's Territories is prohibited.

In reply, the Deputy Commissioner was asked to ascertain and report what orders have been issued about salt-pans by the neighbouring Collectors in their Districts.

To Kolar, No. 61 of 23rd April 1874.

In this letter he reports—First. That the Collector of Bellary states that no orders have been issued in his District prohibiting the importation of earth-salt into Mysore, as he received no instructions on the subject from the Government.

From Kolar, No. 425—176 of 23rd
May 1874.

2ndly. That the Collector of North Arcot District states that he has issued orders to the Sub-Magistrates of Palamanair, Poonganoor, Venkatagerikote and Kangundi, directing them to render the necessary assistance in the detection and punishment of offenders against the rules prohibiting the manufacture, &c. of earth-salt in villages situated within five miles of the boundary line between Mysore and the Madras Presidency, and that the rules on the subject have also been published in the *District Gazette*, and—

3rdly. That the Collector of Salem has requested the Sub-Collector to use his best endeavours to assist the Mysore Authorities in suppressing the export of earth-salt from this Territory, and to instruct the Police and village officers to give immediate information of the existence of any salt-pans within the prohibited limits, and to detain any persons coming from Mysore with earth-salt in their possession in view to their being handed over to the Mysore Magistracy.

3. In this letter the Deputy Commissioner points out that no orders have been issued by the Collectors prohibiting the importation of earth-salt into Mysore from Her Majesty's Territories, and asks for instructions whether the salt so imported can be confiscated and the parties concerned punished.

Reports that the Collector of the Cuddapah District has directed the publication of the Chief Commissioner's Notification regarding earth-salt for six months in the *District Gazette*, and has requested the Sub-Collector to issue special instructions to the Tahsildars of the frontier taluks to render assistance to the Mysore Authorities to detect and punish offenders against the rules.

From Kolar, No. 417—187 of 27th
May 1874.

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No. 2044—REV. 61, DATED BANGALORE, 19TH JUNE 1874.

ORDER THEREON.—In the foregoing letter the Commissioner of Nundydroog refers or orders a case of importation of earth-salt from the Bellary into the Kolar District, with an expression of his opinion that the same penalties as are prescribed for exportation of the salt from Mysore should be enforced for its importation. Major Hay, it appears further considers that the Mysore Government is entitled to compensation for loss of revenue resulting from the abolition of the salt-pans within five miles of the frontier line.

2. With reference to the first point, the Chief Commissioner observes that the Mysore ryots are forbidden to export earth-salt into the Madras Districts, the article being there contraband, but the earth-salt is no where contraband in Mysore, and all that appears to the Chief Commissioner to be required of the Mysore Authorities in cases like the present is, that the Deputy Commissioner shall intimate to the Collector concerned that earth-salt is imported into Mysore, leaving it to him to do what he thinks necessary to put a stop to it. The Mysore Government, the Chief Commissioner considers, is in no way called on to enforce the Madras Revenue laws within the limits of its territory further than has been already arranged.

3. As regards the second point raised by Major Hay, the Chief Commissioner is of opinion that the prohibition of the manufacture within five miles of the frontier can only be a fit subject for a claim to compensation from the British Government if its adoption necessitates the payment of any compensation by this Government to the persons thereby dispossessed of their livelihood. If there are any such cases, the circumstances should be reported with a statement shewing the number of salt-pans closed within five miles of the frontier in consequence of the orders passed.

J. S. F. MACKENZIE,
Offg. Secretary.

From the Offg. Deputy Commissioner, Mysore District, To the Offg. Secretary to the Chief Commissioner of Mysore, General Department, No. 347, dated Mysore, 18th May 1874.

I have the honor to acknowledge receipt of your letter No. 490—Rev. 44 of the 21st ultimo, and, in reply; to state that the discretionary power of remitting the stamp penalty is vested in the Chief Commissioner, *vide* Section 42 of the Stamp Act. Twenty times the duty was levied by the Court as a penalty in the case, and has been credited to Government. It may be left to the Chief Commissioner to consider whether five times the penalty might not suffice in cases of *forma pauperis*; but, in this instance, if any remission is now allowed, the extra penalty will have to be refunded.

No. 2343—REV. 169, DATED BANGALORE, 29TH JUNE 1874.

ORDER THEREON.—Under the provisions of Section 42 of the General Stamp Act of 1869, the Chief Commissioner is pleased in the present case to sanction the remission, as recommended by the Deputy Commissioner, of the penalty levied in excess of five times the duty. The amount of the extra penalty may be refunded to the petitioner.

J. S. F. MACKENZIE,
Offg. Secretary.

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Survey Commissioner's Office, Mysore Territory, No. 815, Camp Kumsi, dated 12th May 1874.

MEMORANDUM.

I am compelled to refer the conduct of the Amildar of the Shimoga Taluk to the Chief Commissioner, with the appended correspondence ending with Memo of the Officiating Commissioner, Nagar Division, No. 32 of the 23rd ultimo, and letter of Superintendent of Survey, No. 363 of 8th instant.

2. On the finding of the Officiating Commissioner of the Nagar Division the conduct of this Amildar is characterized as "*most reprehensible*," he is also by the same Officer stated to have "*greatly obstructed the Survey*" and his conduct towards Mr. Butcher, Assistant Superintendent, is characterized as "*a gross breach of official etiquette*;" he is also convicted by the Officiating Commissioner of "*negligence and incivility*." The whole of these faults, of which the Amildar is convicted, being in connection with his official duties in connection with the Survey.

Offg. Commissioner's No. 917, para 2 appended.
No. 917, para 2, appended.
No. 917, Para 3, appended.
Offg. Commissioner's No. 70, appended.

3. The Officiating Commissioner having in clear and unmistakeable terms given his opinion on the conduct of this Amildar, and having declared his exculpatory explanation to be "*unsatisfactory and vague*," I am quite unable to see what would be the use of adopting the proposal of the Officiating Commissioner contained in his Memo No. 32 of the 23rd ultimo, as it appears to me wasting the time of two Officers in investigating a matter regarding which the Officiating Commissioner has already expressed a decided opinion both on the charges made and the defence made against them.

4. In the Amildar's conduct there was not only neglect of his duty towards the Survey, but positive personal incivility to Mr. Butcher.

5. The Officiating Commissioner regrets that Mr. Butcher did not from time to time make his complaints against this Amildar known to the Deputy Commissioner that the latter might have rectified matters; but it was Mr. Butcher's duty to lay any complaint he might have before his departmental superior and not, except in case of emergency, communicate with the District Officers direct; possibly, moreover, Mr. Butcher had good reason for adopting the strictly correct course. I should object exceedingly to every Assistant Superintendent being authorized to make complaints whenever he felt himself aggrieved direct to the District Officers; moreover this Amildar has received support and exculpation from Colonel H. M. Elliott, the Officiating Commissioner, and Colonel Bruce, the Deputy Commissioner, even after the Superintendent of Survey and I had complained of him, and this being the case, it was not probable that Mr. Butcher's representations would have been attended to.

Offg. Commissioner's Memo No. 433 of 6th November last, appended.

6. Captain Grant's letter 363 of the 8th instant, appended, shows that this Amildar, continues in his course of indifference towards the Survey, and boundary marks the repairs of which were ordered more than a year ago were only reported on by him as repaired a day or two back.

7. I am very averse from complaining of the conduct of Amildars, and still more so from appealing to the Chief Commissioner against the acts of Commissioners and Deputy Commissioners; but I feel it is impossible to pass by without notice a case of this nature where positive and admitted personal incivility to a European Officer is superadded to neglect of duty and obstruction to the Survey, this being passed over lightly by the Deputy Commissioner and late Officiating Commissioner, and with a mere warning by the present Officiating Commissioner, after the waste of much valuable time in this investigation and the exhaustion of every shift on the part of the Amildar to exculpate himself.

No. 2329—REV. 167, DATED BANGALORE, 29TH JUNE 1874.

ORDER THEREON.—The papers connected with Mr. Butcher's complaint against the Shimoga Amildar and the action that has been taken thereon are submitted with the above Memo by the Survey Commissioner, because he is dissatisfied with the course taken in the case by the Division and District Officers concerned, and conceives that the present Officiating Commissioner's proposal to hold a formal enquiry into the case would be a mere waste of time, after what has been already elicited and the strong opinion expressed by

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Mr. Ricketts himself, on the unsatisfactory nature of the Amildar's explanation and the impropriety of his conduct, on some at least—and those the most serious—of the points brought forward against him.

2. After a careful perusal of the correspondence connected with the case, it seems to the Chief Commissioner to be impossible to come to any other conclusion than that the Amildar's conduct has been very improper and reprehensible, especially in respect of (1) his neglect regarding the due carrying out of the orders issued to him on the subject of the construction of the boundary marks; and (2) his incivility towards Mr. Butcher, in failing to keep his engagement with him, or to give him due information of his inability to do so.

3. On the 1st of these points it is shown that, in consequence of the Amildar's neglect, the completion of the boundary marks was not effected till one year after the date of the issue of the order. The Amildar's explanation that the ryots were averse to putting up the marks is no excuse whatever for the delay that he permitted to occur, and indicates a want of acquaintance with the urgent requirements of the survey on this most important point, and his own imperative duty as Head of the Taluk to enforce the same. If there was any valid ground for discontent amongst the ryots in this matter, it was clearly the Amildar's duty to have enquired into the circumstances and to have brought the cause thereof to notice; but this he never appears to have done.

4. On a full consideration of all that is recorded in the correspondence, the Chief Commissioner is of opinion that the censure passed on the Amildar is not sufficient in so serious a matter as that under advertence, and that it is necessary that more severe notice shall be taken of his neglect, and the Chief Commissioner accordingly directs that the Amildar be reduced from the 4th to the 5th grade, and that he be informed that his future advancement will depend entirely on the reports the Chief Commissioner receives of his conduct, which should, till further orders, be submitted by the Commissioner once in every six months.

5. The Chief Commissioner feels compelled to notice with disapproval the indifference with which Mr. Butcher's complaints appear to have been received by Lieutenant-Colonels Bruce and Elliott, whose duty it was at once to have called the Amildar to severe account for his misconduct. The Chief Commissioner has before had to comment on such indifference in cases of complaint by the Survey Department, and he begs again to impress on the Revenue Officers of the Administration that, in all such matters, he expects them to give their hearty aid and support to the Officers of the Survey Department, and to take prompt notice of all complaints of neglect or incivility on the part of their subordinates that may be made to them by the Survey Commissioner, Superintendent or the Assistants of the Department.

J. S. F. MACKENZIE,
Offg. Secretary.

PART I.

DEPT. OF REVENUE, AGRICULTURE AND COMMERCE. FOERSTS.

A.

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From the Conservator of Forests, Mysore, To the Officiating Secretary to the Chief Commissioner of Mysore, General Department, Revenue-Forests, No. 585, dated Bangalore, 10th June 1874.

I have the honor to forward the marginally noted original papers—subject, number and kinds of reserved trees spared in the Salur, Hesur and Jasur maganis (settled) of the Shikarpar Taluk for the reason that they have *Suamis* under them—for perusal and obliging return when no longer required, and, with reference thereto, to state for the information of the Chief Commissioner that as the trees have been spared on the grounds of their being sacred, I hold that they are not the property of the ryot. Should the deity, as suggested by the Deputy Conservator, at any time wish to change his or her residence, the tree cannot be held to have become the property of the ryot, as Government spared the tree as sacred, at the request of the ryot. If the ryot then fells it at any time, he can, I think, be punished. I beg to be informed if I am right.

Conservator's No. 212 of the 20th April 1874, to Deputy Commissioner.
Deputy Conservator's letter No. 255 of the 30th May last.

No. 2045—137, DATED BANGALORE, 19TH JUNE 1874.

ORDER THEREON.—The Chief Commissioner concurs in the view expressed by the Conservator in the above letter and rules, with reference to Section XI of the Revised Revenue Survey Guarantee, that reserved trees, the property of Government, which are left standing, on the introduction of the settlement into a taluk, owing to the existence of shrines or idols underneath them, will not become the property of the occupier of the land on which they are situated, and their felling at any future time is prohibited, without special permission in each case.

The original enclosures of the Conservator's letter are herewith returned.

J. S. F. MACKENZIE,
Offg. Secretary.

PART I.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

A.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER OF MYSORE FOR THE MONTH OF JUNE 1874.

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	<i>Rewards for the destruction of the cubs of wild animals.</i> Fixing the amount for the same.	No. 1618—2, dated 2nd June 1874.	...	...	1
1 to 4	<i>Redistribution of the Anche Runners on the Bangalore,—Shimoga line.</i> Sanctioning the above as an experimental measure for six months	No. 2139—167, dated 23rd June 1874.	...	...	1 to 3

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2nd June 1874.*

From the Offg. Commissioner, Nagar Division, No. 65—12, dated the 20th May 1874.

NO. 1618—FINL. 2, DATED BANGALORE, 2ND JUNE 1874.

ORDER THEREON.—In the above letter the Officiating Commissioner of Nagar requests orders as to the amount of rewards to be paid for the destruction of the cubs of wild animals.

2. The Chief Commissioner directs that $\frac{1}{2}$ of the authorized reward should be paid for cubs under half a year old, and one half of the amount if between that age and half grown.

3. The teeth of the animals destroyed may be given up, but not the claws, which (properly speaking form part of the skin, and their absence would reduce its value.

J. S. F. MACKENZIE,
Offg. Secretary.

From the Anche Bakshi, To the Offg. Secretary to the Chief Commissioner of Mysore, No. 83,
dated Bangalore, 15th June 1874.

The undersigned begs to bring to the notice of the Chief Commissioner that the letter mails between Bangalore and Shimoga are conveyed with delay, in spite of the repeated fines that are inflicted on the runners; the packets for the Imperial Post Offices at this station and at Heeray-Karoor in Dharwar are thereby not only delayed but the delivery of station letters is also late. With a view of remedying this, it is proposed to give an increase of Rs. 7 to the pay of the "Inspectors' Orderlies" and styling them "Line Overseers" as in the Imperial Post Offices. These men will be subordinate to the Inspectors, and will be required to watch daily the proper running of the mails at the usual speed. When the Inspectors are engaged in the inspection of the several Receiving Houses and other lines in their respective districts, the supervision of this main line is neglected, which is, however, not the case on other lines.

A re-distribution statement is submitted shewing the present and proposed establishment for meeting the present proposal. It will be observed therefrom that the arrangement will involve no extra cost to the State.

If the Chief Commissioner is pleased to sanction the proposal, as exhibited in the statement, it is requested that the Deputy Commissioners concerned may be addressed on the subject.

*Proceedings of the Chief Commissioner of Mysore, Financial Department,
23rd June 1874.*

Statement shewing the Present and Proposed Establishment of Runners on certain Anche Lines.

District.	Present Establishment.				Proposed Establishment.				REMARKS.
	Taluk.	Name of Anche.	No. of Runners and Rates of Pay.	Pay.	District.	Taluk.	Name of Anche Designation. No. of Runners, &c. and Rate of Pay.	Pay.	
Bangalore	Bangalore	From Bangalore to Nelamangala.			Bangalore	Bangalore	From Bangalore to Nelamangala.		
Do	Nelamangala	Amildar Chattr	6 at 5 Rs. each	30 0 0	Do	Amildar Chattr	5 at 5 Rs. each	25 0 0	A. Five runners to each post on the line from Bangalore to Nelamangala, and 2 runners for each post from Chelakere to Molkalmuru will be sufficient.
Do	Do	Dasarhalli	6 do	30 0 0	Do	Dasarhalli	5 Do	25 0 0	
Do	Do	Turukar Palynu	6 do	30 0 0	Do	Turukar Palynu	5 Do	25 0 0	
Do	Bangalore	Bangalore Anche	1st Class Letter Peon	9 0 0	Do	Bangalore	1st Class Letter Peon	10 0 0	
Chitaldroog	Dodri	From Chelakere to Molkalmuru.			Dodri	From Chelakere to Molkalmuru.			
Do	Do	Chikammahalli	3 at 4 Rs. each	12 0 0	Do	Chikammahalli	2 at 4 Rs. each	8 0 0	
Do	Do	Talku	3 do	12 0 0	Do	Talku	2 Do	8 0 0	
Do	Do	Hirhalli	3 do	12 0 0	Do	Hirhalli	2 Do	8 0 0	
Do	Molkalmuru	Bannagundankere	3 do	12 0 0	Do	Molkalmuru	2 Do	8 0 0	
Do	Do	Neralhalli	3 do	12 0 0	Do	Neralhalli	2 Do	8 0 0	
Kolar	Chikballapur	Kasaba	1 at 4 Rs. Letter Peon	4 0 0	Do	Chikballapur	1 Letter Peon	5 0 0	
Bangalore	Bangalore	Orderies of the District Inspectors as noted below.			Bangalore	Line Overseers.			
Tumkur	Tumkur	Orderly	1 at 5 Rs.	5 0 0	Do	Overseer	Do	12 0 0	
Kadur	Kadur	Do	Do	5 0 0	Do	Do	Do	12 0 0	
Shimoga	Shimoga	Do	Do	5 0 0	Do	Do	Do	12 0 0	B. Vide covering No. 83 dated 15th instant. The length of the main line from Bangalore to Herry-haroor is 122 miles.
		Total Rs.		183 0 0		Total Rs.		183 0 0	

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23rd June 1874.*

GENL. No. 2139—FINL. 167, DATED BANGALORE, 23RD JUNE 1874.

ORDER THEREON.—The re-distribution of establishment, as recommended in the above, is sanctioned as an experimental measure for six months, subject to the submission of a report at the end of that period as regards its success, when the arrangement will be finally sanctioned, if found to answer.

J. S. F. MACKENZIE,
Offg. Secretary.

PART I.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

A.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER OF MYSORE FOR THE MONTH OF JUNE 1874.

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1	<i>Transfer of District Surveyors to the Offices of Executive Engineers.</i> Passing orders on the above subject.	No. 1692—16, dated 4th June 1874.	...	...	1
2	<i>Encouraging discharged Siledars to take up land on "Kaul," and finding employment in the new Police for such of them as are fit.</i> Issuing instructions to Commissioners and Deputy Commissioners for carrying out the Chief Commissioner's wishes on the above subjects.	No. 1736—17, dated 6th June 1874.	...	...	2
3	<i>Destruction of Wild Beasts and Venomous Snakes.</i> Submitting report to Government on the measures taken with the above object.	No. 1744—14, dated 6th June 1874.	...	...	3 to 4

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4th June 1874.*

No. 1692.
Genl. 16.

MYSORE CHIEF COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
DATED BANGALORE, 4TH JUNE 1874.

CIRCULAR.

FROM

**THE OFFICIATING SECRETARY TO THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER
OF MYSORE.**

To

THE COMMISSIONERS OF DIVISIONS.

SIR,

The Chief Engineer has brought to the Chief Commissioner's notice, in connection with a recent correspondence in his Department regarding the proposed transfer of District Surveyors to the Offices of Executive Engineers, that much unnecessary delay in the preparation of projects for District works, which require examination by his Department previous to sanction, is systematically caused by the loose manner in which the District Surveyors are employed, and the careless and inefficient mode of doing their duty which they habitually adopt in consequence.

2. Colonel Meade has not assented to the proposed transfer of this class to the entire control and orders of the Local Department Public Works Officers, the measure being opposed to the wishes of all the Revenue Officers consulted; but he believes the Chief Engineer's representation, as above stated, to be quite correct, and he begs that the subject may receive the careful attention of the Division and District Officers, in view to the removal of any further grounds for complaint thereon.

3. When plans for any District projects of importance are in preparation, which have to be framed under the direction of the Executive Engineer, the District Surveyor should be placed under his orders for that purpose, and not interfered with, ordinarily, until their completion.

I have the honor to be

Sir,

Your most obedient Servant,

J. S. F. MACKENZIE,
Offg. Secretary.

*Proceedings of the Chief Commissioner of Mysore, General Department,
6th June 1874.*

No. 1736—GENL. 17, DATED BANGALORE, 6TH JUNE 1874.

ORDER.—The Chief Commissioner, being desirous of aiding the Siledars who have been discharged consequent on the recent reduction of the Force, is prepared to authorize grants of waste land of limited extent being given to such of them as may be willing to take to agriculture for a livelihood, on *kaut* for five years, *viz.*, the land to be free for two years, and on half *kandayam* for the next three, after which the land would be liable for the ordinary rate of assessment.

2. Some of the discharged Savars, whose age is not a bar thereto, might perhaps, the Chief Commissioner thinks, find employment in the new Police, and the Deputy Commissioners are requested to consider any applications to this effect that may be made to them.

3. Generally, the Chief Commissioner wishes to encourage the Ex-Siledars to take up such occupation or employment as may be available and for which they may be fitted, and he will be obliged by all Officers, who have it in their power to do so, aiding in this object as far as may be practicable.

J. S. F. MACKENZIE,
Offg. Secretary.

Extract from the Proceedings of the Government of India in the Home Department, (Public),—
No. 44, 2747, under date Simla, the 25th August 1873.

RESOLUTION.

The Resolution of Home Department, 11th September 1871, accepted the conclusion, established by reports from all parts of India, that the loss of human life from wild animals and venomous snakes is certainly enormous. And the Governor General in Council desired that every means should be taken for the extirpation of destructive animals in the neighbourhood of human habitation; the system of paying rewards for killing beasts of prey and venomous snakes being understood to be the most effectual method which the Government could employ. No limit was set to the amount of reward which might be given for killing wild beasts, but with regard to snakes the Local Governments were directed to make experiment, and to report after two years.

2. His Excellency the Governor General in Council now requests that a report may be prepared and sent up by each Local Government and Administration, shewing the measures that have been taken in accordance with the Resolution of 1871, and the effect, so far as it can be ascertained, of those measures. The experience of the past two years ought to throw some light upon the practical difficulties which have hitherto hindered a more rapid extermination of dangerous animals, wherever the attempt has been made in earnest. His Excellency in Council will be glad to learn that no pains are spared to do what can be done by the local executive; and His Excellency wishes also to be informed whether any additional orders by the Government of India are thought necessary.

No. 44—2746.

ORDER.—Ordered, that a copy of this Resolution be forwarded to the several Local Governments and Administrations, and to the Foreign Department.

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6th June 1874.*

ORDER.—Ordered, that the following letter No. 1744—14, dated 6th June 1874, addressed to the Government of India, Home Department.

J. S. F. MACKENZIE,
Offg. Secretary.

No. 1744.
14.

MYSORE CHIEF COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
DATED BANGALORE, 6th June 1874.

FROM

THE OFFICIATING SECRETARY TO THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER
OF MYSORE.

To

THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA,
HOME DEPARTMENT,
CALCUTTA.

SIR,

With reference to the Proceedings of the Government of India, in the Home Department, No. 44—2747, dated 25th August 1873, calling for a report shewing the measures that have been taken, in accordance with the Resolution of 11th September 1871, for killing wild beasts and venomous snakes, I am directed by the Chief Commissioner to state that, on receipt of the Resolution, it was re-published in the Local Gazette preceded by a circular confirming the existing rates of rewards for

	Rs.	
*Tigers	35	tigers and cheetas in Mysore, while the rates in Coorg were
Cheetas or panthers.	15	raised from Rs. 5 and 3 for tigers and cheetas, to Rs. 35 and Rs. 15 respectively. At the same time it was intimated

that the Chief Commissioner was prepared to increase these rates in any District or locality when exceptional circumstances, which should be reported, rendered such a measure desirable.

2. In August last, on a proposal to equalize the rates in both Districts, made by the Collector of South Canara, the Chief Commissioner sanctioned, for a term of three years, the rewards for tigers and cheetas, in the Nagar Division of this Province, being raised from Rs. 35 and 15 to Rs. 60 and 40; but sufficient time has not yet elapsed to allow of an opinion being formed as to the utility of this measure.

3. The Commissioners of the Ashtagram and Nagar Divisions were recently directed to report whether there were particular tracts in which a larger reward than that now existing might, with advantage, be offered, and whether it was possible to organize a body of native *Shikaris* to work under a European Officer, so as to produce really good results in the destruction of tigers and cheetas.

4. The Commissioners of both Divisions report that it would be of little use at present to increase the scale of rewards; but they suggest the employment of a few native *Shikaris* to work under the direction of a European Officer in the localities where tigers and cheetas are known to exist.

5. Steps have been taken to carry this measure out, and its results will be reported after a sufficient trial as to its efficacy has been made. Should further measures appear to be called for, from an increase in the numbers of these animals, or the depredations of any individual amongst them, such shall be at once adopted, on the necessity therefor coming to the notice of the Chief Commissioner.

6 From an examination of the accompanying statement comparing the number of wild beasts destroyed, amount of rewards paid, and loss of human life during the year and half preceding the Resolution of the Government of India, dated 11th September

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6th June 1874.*

1871, with the succeeding year and half, it will be observed that there is a decrease in all heads.

The returns for 1873-74 have not yet been received, and it is thought better to confine the comparison to the previous period as above.

7. As regards the destruction of venomous snakes, I am to state that, on receipt of the Resolution of September 1871, a general circular was published in the Local Gazette limiting the extension generally of the practice of granting rewards for the purpose (which does not exist except in the Municipalities of Mysore and Hassan and the Cantonment of Bangalore); but it was directed that wherever, in any locality, the prevalence of these reptiles may be deemed to be of so serious a character as to require the adoption of special measures for their destruction, the circumstance should be duly reported, in view to the same being authorized, temporarily or otherwise.

8. In April 1873, Assistant Surgeon E. Nicholson, R. A. on Special Duty, D. P. W. submitted a proposal for the destruction of venomous snakes, by paying a reward of annas for every cobra, and one anna for every non-venomous snake, the object being, as stated, to collect statistics regarding the utility of spending public money for this purpose.

9. This proposal was sanctioned experimentally; but from Dr. Nicholson's interesting reports, copies of which are attached, it is evident that the extirpation of snakes by the offer of a reward for their destruction is a hopeless undertaking, and the Chief Commissioner is not prepared to recommend that more public money should be expended on such experiments, though he will be quite prepared to authorize any reasonable outlay that may at any time appear to be called for in consequence of the dangerous increase of these noxious reptiles.

10. I am, in conclusion, to add that, though the loss of human life in the latest 18 months noted in the statement was still lamentable, being at the rate of close on 300 souls annually, it is notorious that there has been a very large diminution of tigers in most parts of Mysore and Coorg, and this fact doubtless accounts for the falling off in the number killed during that period, as contrasted with the previous 18 months.

I have the honor to be

Sir,

Your most obedient Servant,

J. S. F. MACKENZIE,

Offg. Secretary

Statement comparing the number of wild beasts destroyed, amount of rewards paid, and loss of human life during the year and half preceding the Resolution, dated 11th September 1871, with the succeeding year and half.

Province.	Particulars.	1870—71 and Half of 1871—72.	Half of 1871—72 and 1872—73.	Remarks.
Mysore.	Tigers ...	127	53	
	Cheetas or panthers. ...	242	154	
	Loss of human life. ..	94	73	
	Amount of rewards paid ...	8,323	4395	

J. S. F. MACKENZIE,

Offg. Secretary

PART II.

JUDICIAL.

B.

TABULAR STATEMENT OF MATTERS OF ROUTINE FOR THE MONTH OF JUNE 1874. MYSORE.

Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
Notification vesting Swami Rao, Amildar and 3rd Class Magistrate of the Chikmagalur Taluk, with power to entertain complaints of offences in cases in which he has jurisdiction to try under Clause (a) 2 of Section 23 of Act X of 1872, was gazetted, and copy sent to Officiating Judicial Commissioner.	11th June 1874.	
The Government of India in the Foreign Department were solicited to extend to this Province Act XI of 1871, "an Act to amend the Code of Criminal Procedure."	12th do	
Notification directing Nanjundaiya, Amildar of the Kolar Taluk, to take down the evidence of complainants and witnesses with his own hand in the English language under Section 335 of Act X of 1872, was gazetted, and copy sent to Officiating Judicial Commissioner.	13th do	
Notification appointing Bakar Husen Allikhan, Acting Peshkar of the Chamraynagar Taluk, a Magistrate of the 3rd Class within the meaning of Section 19 of Act X of 1872, and with certain additional powers under Sections 22 and 23 (a) was gazetted, and copy sent to Judicial Commissioner.	Do do	
The Officiating Judicial Commissioner was requested to report on the proceedings of Mr. Srinivasalingar, Assistant Commissioner, Hassan District, in certain cases denoted, as also on the general magisterial work of this officer so far as it has come under his notice.	15th do	
In reply, the Judicial Commissioner was requested to submit to this Office, on receipt, an explanation called for by him, from Colonel Bruce, relative to his neglect in replying to references made to him by the Judicial Commissioner in a certain murder case.	Do do	
Copy of a communication from the Registrar of Companies bringing to notice that certain native officials in the Kolar District had become agents, Accountants and Directors of the Banks recently established there, in contravention of existing orders, was forwarded to the Commissioner, Nunddroog Division, with a request that he would institute immediate enquiry into the matter and report on the case of each of the officials named therein; the Commissioner was further directed to suspend them if he found that they had transgressed the clear object of the orders issued on the subject.	19th do	
The sanction of the Government of India was solicited to the adoption of the Lunatic Asylum Rules as amended by Government.	26th do	
A warrant addressed to the Magistrate of the Dharwar District, for the apprehension and rendition of certain persons, was returned to the Commissioner of the Nagar Division duly countersigned.	27th do	
The Commissioner of Nunddroog was requested to report as to the manner in which the establishment of the proposed Bench of Magistrates will affect the present Bench of Justices, and whether the duties assigned to the latter should not be transferred to the new Bench.	Do do	
In reply, the Judicial Commissioner was informed that the Chief Commissioner saw no reason to prohibit the practice at present in force	Do do	

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date previous Order.
12	of permitting Police peons to do duty with both the Revenue Survey and Public Works Departments. As requested by the District Magistrate of North Canara, a certificate was forwarded to that officer declaring that the charge of cheating and forgery brought against certain British subjects is one that ought to be enquired into in British India.	20th June 1874.	
13	Under the circumstances represented, a suggestion was made to the Government of Fort Saint George to authorize the Chemical Examiner at Madras to receive any article sent to him for chemical examination by the Magistrates in Mysore in cases which are likely to be committed to the Madras High Court.	30th do	Vide No. _____ Dated 19 June 1874 "General"

MYSORE CHIEF COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
 Bangalore, July 1874.

J. S. F. MACKENZIE,
 Offg. Secretary.

PART II.

DEPT. OF REVENUE, AGRICULTURE AND COMMERCE.

B.

TABULAR STATEMENT OF MATTERS OF ROUTINE FOR THE MONTH OF JUNE 1874.

MYSORE.

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
1	Copy of communication from the Executive Engineer, Kadar Division, reporting on the condition of certain tanks in the Tarikere Taluk, was forwarded to the Nagar Commissioner to report after enquiry in the neighbourhood whether it would be advisable to restore irrigation works in a feverish jungle with no population near.	2nd June 1874.	
2	In reply, the instructions of the Chief Commissioner were communicated to Survey and Settlement Commissioner relative to the payment to the Shanbhogs of the Chamnagiri Taluk of arrears of temporary remuneration from the date the payment to them of <i>aya</i> ceased.	Do	do
3	In reply, the Inam Commissioner was informed that the Chief Commissioner was pleased to confirm an annual grant for life only of Rs. 15—0—0 to one Narayana Dilshet.—Communicated to Superintendent of Inams.	4th	do
4	Instructions relative to the mode of recovering the cost of survey bands were communicated to Survey and Settlement Commissioner, Commissioner, Nagar Division, and Deputy Accountant General.	Do	do
5	As solicited, a statement giving particulars of a piece of Government waste land proposed to be granted to one Srinivas Rao and others, in lieu of that portion of their <i>inam</i> land taken up for the Chikballapur-Siddaghatta road, was forwarded to the Inam Superintendent.	5th	do
6	A manuscript copy of the return of prices current of food grains in this Province and Coorg, for fortnight ending 31st May 1874, was forwarded to the Government of India, Revenue Department.	6th	do
7	In reply, the Commissioner of the Nagar Division was informed that the sales of the toddy contracts in the Nagar Division, for 1873—74, were satisfactory.	9th	do
8	A communication from the Nagar Commissioner, regarding the reservation of a strip of land ten feet wide along the base of tank bunds, was forwarded to the Survey and Settlement Commissioner for opinion.	Do	do
9	As requested by the Nundydroog Commissioner, sanction was conveyed to Rs. 9—11—0, being struck off the Sayer accounts of the Tumkūr District for March 1874.	11th	do
10	Under circumstances represented by Nundydroog Commissioner, the remission of Rs. 326—2—8, being assessment on certain land in the Tumkūr District, was sanctioned.—Communicated to Deputy Accountant General.	Do	do
11	In reply, the Ashtagram Commissioner was informed that the Chief Commissioner sanctioned the proposal of the Hassan Municipality to levy the duty on tobacco at the enhanced rates, <i>viz.</i> , one rupee for tobacco in stalk, and half a rupee on tobacco in powder.	Do	do
12	The usual season report, for week ending 11th June 1874, was submitted to the Government of India, Department of Revenue, Agriculture and Commerce.	Do	do

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date previous Order.
13	Three printed copies of the return of food grains in this Province and Coorg, for fortnight ending 31st May 1874, were submitted to the Government of India, Revenue Department, to replace manuscripts.	12th June 1874.	
14	As solicited by the Commissioner, Nundydroog Division, the remission of an arrear of Rs. 150—15—4, due in the Tánkúr District, on account of the plough tax and the district fund. was sanctioned Communicated to Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
15	The Commissioner of the Ashtagram Division was requested to give timely consideration to certain points, with reference to the approaching expiry at the end of the current year of the toddy contract of the Ashtagram Division.	13th do	
16	A table of rates proposed to be adopted throughout the Province for the conveyance of passengers, &c., across rivers, was circulated to Commissioners of Divisions for report.	Do do	
17	In reply, the Nundydroog Commissioner was informed that there was no warrant for the levy of local cess on any item of municipal revenue which was in itself a local fund collection.	15th do	
18	As solicited by the Commissioner, Nundydroog Division, sanction was conveyed to Rs. 1,289—5—2, shown in the statement of irrecoverable balances, being written off the accounts.	Do do	
19	In reply, the Nagar Commissioner was informed that the Chief Commissioner approved of a proposed scale of the rates of fees leviable by contractors for ferrying passengers, &c., across rivers, and he was requested to submit a classified list of the ferries in his Division.	Do do	
20	Certain discrepancies in his returns of land revenue balances of past years for March 1874, were pointed out to the Deputy Commissioner, Chitaldroog District, for explanation.—Communicated to Nagar Commissioner and Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
21	The Commissioners of Divisions were requested to obtain from District Deputy Commissioners, and to submit for the Chief Commissioner's information Quarterly Reports of progress of the revision of emoluments of village servants which were communicated to Survey and Settlement Commissioner, and Superintendent, Revenue Survey, and Deputy Accountant General.	16th do	
22	The remarks of the Chief Commissioner on certain proceedings of Mr. Assistant Soob Row of the Inam Department, were communicated in reply to Survey and Inam Commissioner.	Do do	
23	The Chief Commissioner's observations on the working of the Revenue Process Rules during the year ending 30th September 1873, were communicated to the Judicial Commissioner, and his opinion was invited on certain points therewith connected.	Do do	
24	In reply, the Government of India in the Department of Revenue, Agriculture and Commerce were informed that, from information obtained from Colonel Boddam, it would appear that the whole of the maize seed intended for the Superintendent of Port Blair had been despatched to that officer.	17th do	<i>Vide Progs. for May 1874, Part II, Rev. Ag. and Com. No.</i>
25	The Commissioner of the Nundydroog Division was informed that the Government of India had sanctioned the remission of annas 8—9, being assessment on a piece of dry land proposed to be granted to certain ryots in the Kenkeri Village, Goribidnur Taluk, Kolar District.	18th do	
26	The usual season report was signalled to the Government of India, in the Department of Revenue, Agriculture and Commerce.	Do do	
27	The Chief Commissioner's observations were communicated to Ashtagram Commissioner on account of receipts and expenditure of certain muzrai institutions submitted by him.	19th do	

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
28	Copy of a communication from Colonel Puckle regarding the cultivation of Pundi and other fibres was forwarded to Colonel Boddam with a request that he would arrange with the Deputy Commissioners of the Bangalore, Kolar and Mysore Districts, for giving it a trial.	19th June 1874.	
29	In reply, the Government of India in the Department of Revenue, Agriculture and Commerce were solicited to furnish this Administration with seven copies of the Forest Magazine.	20th do	19th May 1874.
30	In reply to a report as to the manner in which Mr. Hicks, Assistant Conservator of Forests, was doing his work, the Conservator was requested to state definitely in his report on this officer for the six months ending 30th September 1874, whether he considers it worthwhile to retain Mr. Hicks in the Department.	Do do	
31	The despatch of 12 vanilla pods was reported to the Government of India, Department of Revenue Agriculture and Commerce, in compliance with the request contained in letter No. 1884, dated 30th May 1874.	22nd do	
32	A manuscript copy of the return of prices current of food grains, for fortnight ending 15th June 1874, was submitted to the Government of India, Department of Revenue, Agriculture and Commerce.	Do do	
33	In reply, the Superintending Engineer of Irrigation works Was informed that power could be reserved for the removal of date trees from positions on the banks or edges of channels who they cause interruption, on the expiry of the present toddy contract in March 1875, and that in the case of trees requiring immediate removal, the Executive Engineer should consult the Deputy Commissioner, who had general authority to direct the removal of such trees.—Communicated to Ashtagram Commissioner.	Do do	
34	Certain discrepancies in a statement of lands submitted by Nundydroog Commissioner, shewing particulars of land proposed to be granted in lieu of certain <i>inam</i> holdings submerged by the extension of a tank in the Malur Taluk, were pointed out, and a correct list was called for.	Do do	
35	As solicited by Survey and Inam Commissioner, sanction was conveyed to an alteration being made in a title-deed by deducting from the extent of the <i>inam</i> therein referred a certain area which is reported to have been taken up for a road.	23rd do	
36	Copy of Government of India No. 115, R, dated 5th June, relative to the authority vested in Inam Assistants to attach the lands of absentee <i>inamdars</i> , was forwarded to Survey and Settlement Commissioner.	Do do	
37	In reply, the Ashtagram Commissioner was requested to report regarding certain money collected on account, fruit trees in the Chamrajnagar Taluk for 1875—74.	Do do	
38	As solicited by the Nundydroog Commissioner, the refund of Rs. 55—2, being assessment on the submerged portion of lands held by one Virasami Chetti in the Bangalore Taluk, was sanctioned.—Communicated to Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
39	The Commissioner, Ashtagram Division, was requested to furnish additional information in regard to a piece of assessed land proposed to be granted to the Revd. C. DeSaint of Sethalli for building a church thereon.	Do do	
40	Copy of Government of India, Foreign Department No. 334, F, intimating that it will be unnecessary to submit plans, &c., of the Bangalore and Mysore water-supply works to his Office was forwarded to the Chief Engineer for guidance.	Do do	
41	Copy of a Report from the Chief Medical Officer in the Province, for the year 1873, with the Chief Commissioner's Review thereon, was submitted to the Secretary to the Government of India, Department of Revenue, Agriculture and Commerce.	Do do	

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42	Under circumstances represented by the Nagar Commissioner, sanction was conveyed to an irrecoverable balance of Municipal tax in the town of Chitaldroog for 1871—72, amounting to Rs. 84—7—0, being struck off the accounts.	24th June 1874.	
43	The Survey Commissioner was requested to intimate if he could arrange, after the monsoon is over, for a survey being made of the Mysore boundary from the Coorg frontier to the tri-junction of Mysore and North and South Canara in the north.—Communicated in reply to Deputy Commissioner, Hassan District.	Do do	
44	In reply, the Commissioner of the Nundydroog Division was authorized to refer for the consideration of the Bangalore Cantonment Municipal Board, a question as to the amount of compensation to be paid by the Municipality for the land taken up for the extension of Kuoxpet in the Bangalore Taluk.	Do do	
45	The usual season report, for the week ending 25th June 1874, was signalled to the Government of India, Department of Revenue, Agriculture and Commerce.	25th do	
46	A proposal made by the Conservator of Forests for extending the time allowed in Rule XI of the Survey Guarantee for the removal of reserved trees in occupied survey numbers, was forwarded to the Survey Commissioner for consideration and report.	Do do	
47	In reply to a request for the cancellation of the resumption of three personal <i>inams</i> in the villages of Dieneri and Hassandhalli in the Malur Taluk, the Survey and Inam Commissioner was requested to institute farther enquiries on certain points and to report the result of the same.	Do do	
48	On the recommendation of the Ashtagram Commissioner, sanction was conveyed to the alienation of three pieces of dry land assessed at Rs. 3—3—4, to the inhabitants of the Bellagundagere village to enable them to change the present site of their village.	27th do	
49	As solicited by the Commissioner of Nundydroog, sanction was conveyed to a refund bill for Rs. 5—13—1, being the assessment improperly recovered from <i>Jodidar</i> Narasimma Bhat on an excluded <i>inam</i> .	Do do	
50	Under the circumstances represented by the Commissioner of Nundydroog, sanction was conveyed to the refund of Rs. 80—8—0, to the purchaser, at a Government auction sale, of a house belonging to a Revenue defaulter in the Devanahalli Taluk.	29th do	
51	The sanction of the Government of India was solicited to the permanent remission of the assessment on certain land to be granted for a building site to the inhabitants of the Bellikere village, Periyapatna Taluk.	Do do	
52	The sanction of the Government of India was solicited to the alienation of certain lands proposed to be given to the inhabitants of the Bellagundagere village, Mandya Taluk, for building their houses thereon.	Do do	
53	In reply, the Commissioner of Cotton and Commerce with the Government of India was furnished with two statements shewing the cotton cultivation and the cotton trade in Mysore during the years 1872—73 and 1873—74.	30th do	
54	In reply, the Government of India was informed that a reply to Revenue Department No. 1355 of the 21st April, regarding the market value of sun-flower oil, was despatched on the 27th June 1874.	Do do	
55	The sanction of the Government of India was solicited to the permanent remission of the assessment amounting to Rs. 5—6—6, on certain dry lands granted to the ryots of Kodagiballi village as a building site.	Do do	

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As solicited by the Commissioner of Ashtagram, sanction was conveyed to the free grant of certain assessed lands paying Rs. 5—6—6, to the villagers of Kodagihalli for building houses thereon.	30th June 1874.	
The Commissioners of Divisions, the Superintendent of Coorg, and Colonel Boddam were requested to furnish, for submission to the Government of India, a report of the results of the experiments made with the Carolina paddy seed.	Do do	Part II, B, Rev. Agri. & Commerce, No. 13, dated 22nd Aug. 1873.

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Bangalore, July 1874.

J. S. F. MACKENZIE,
Offy. Secretary

PART II.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE, AGRICULTURE AND COMMERCE. FORESTS.

B.

TABULAR STATEMENT OF MATTERS OF ROUTINE FOR THE MONTH OF JUNE 1874.

MYSORE.

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.		Date of previous Orders.
1	Copy of Government of India, Revenue Department, No. 12—520, dated 16th May 1874, communicating directions for obtaining the information required to be entered in the half-yearly disposition lists of the Forest Department, was forwarded to the Conservator of Forests.	3rd	June	1874.
2	Copies of Government of India Resolution, No. 11—467, dated 2nd May 1874, together with a copy of the Report (Vols. I and II) on the Administration of the Forest Department in the several Provinces under the Government of India, for 1872—73, were circulated to Commissioners of Divisions and Superintendent of Coorg.	5th	do	
3	Copy of a communication, with enclosures, from the Conservator of Forests, proposing that certain forests in the Sorab Taluk may be declared to be "State Forests," was forwarded to Nagar Commissioner for any remarks he may wish to offer.	6th	do	
4	In reply, the Conservator of Forests was requested to report whether he proposed the maintenance of ponies for Circle Mutsaddis for each of the Districts or only for the Mysore District.	8th	do	
5	Copies of a paper by Mr. G. Ballantyne, copy reporting the results of the experiments undertaken by him in the treatment of lap roots, were forwarded to the Conservator of Forests for distribution. Copies also forwarded to District Deputy Commissioners, and Superintendent, Lal Bagh.	9th	do	
6	A copy of <i>Revue des Eaux et Forêts Annales Forestieres</i> , April 1874, was forwarded to the Conservator of Forests for circulation.	Do	do	
7	Copies of Government of India, Revenue Department, No. 15—571, dated 29th May, requesting that the annual statement of Forest receipts and expenditure should be submitted as usual to the Government of India, were sent to the Conservator of Forests and the Deputy Accountant General.	10th	do	
8	On the representation of the Conservator of Forests, the opening out of a road to the Sargur Dépôt, provided that the cost was not great, was sanctioned.	Do	do	
9	The Conservator of Forests was requested to have a map of the Province duly filled in with Dépôts, State and District-Forests, &c, and sent to this Office for reference.	Do	do	
10	In reply, the Chief Commissioner's remarks were communicated to the Conservator of Forests on his report on the working of the District-Forest scheme in the Nagar Division during 10 months—June to March inclusive—of 1873—74.	11th	do	
11	Copy of communication from the Government of India, Department of Revenue, Agriculture and Commerce, together with a prospectus of the	Do	do	

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
	"Forest Magazine" therein referred to, was forwarded to the Conservator of Forests for report as to the number of copies which may be subscribed for.		
12	The Conservator of Forests was requested to state if he still required sanction to an estimate for repairing the old sandal koti at Sagar.	15th June 1874.	
13	Copies of Government of India Resolution, No. 16—588, dated 2nd June, regarding the Budget Resolution of 15th January 1873, were forwarded to the Conservator of Forests and the Deputy Accountant General.	17th	do
14	As solicited by the Conservator of Forests, sanction was conveyed to his giving out on certain conditions to one Mr. Coelho of Mangalore the contract for felling timber in the Nabimale forests in the Manjarabad Taluk.	Do	do
15	As solicited by the Conservator of Forests, the felling by ryots on license of bamboos in the District-Forests of the Chamrajnagar Taluk, at the rate of Rs. 2—8—0 per cart-load, as an experiment for three months, was sanctioned.	18th	do
16	Notification granting Mr. D. E. Hutchins, Assistant Conservator of Forests, 9 days' privilege leave in extension of the one month's examination leave granted him in Notification No. 43 of the 15th May 1874, was gazetted, and copy sent to Conservator of Forests.	19th	do
17	As solicited by the Conservator of Forests, sanction was conveyed to Mr. Ludlow, Assistant Conservator, Nundydroog Range, qualifying himself for reward for high proficiency in Kanarese.	Do	do
18	As solicited by the Conservator of Forests, an estimate amounting to Rs. 3,080, for repairing the sandal koti at Seringapatam was sanctioned, provided that the requisite funds were forthcoming, and he was requested to report when the building was erected, what sums had been spent upon it, and how fictitious beams came to be put up.	Do	do
19	In reply, the Conservator of Forests was requested to report the value of a rowtie required for his Department.	22nd	do
20	As solicited by the Conservator of Forests, the free grant of wood to certain ryots of the Byalgere Village, Harnahalli Taluk, Hassan District, to enable them to rebuild their houses destroyed by fire, was sanctioned.	Do	do
21	In reply, the Chief Commissioner's orders were communicated to the Conservator of Forests on the subject of making over a jungle in the Belur, Taluk to the ryots.	Do	do
22	In reply, the Conservator of Forests was requested to place himself in communication with the other Forest Departments, such as Madras or the Central Provinces, to ascertain the practice in regard to the keep of ponies for the use of Circle Mutsaddis, as the sanction of the Government of India would be required for his proposal to keep a pony permanently for the Mysore Range.	23rd	do
23	Copy of a communication from the Conservator of Forests, bringing to notice the urgent need of providing sufficient accommodation for the offices of the Forest Officers in Nagar, was forwarded to the Nagar Commissioner, with a request that he would report on the subject after consulting the Deputy Conservator of Forests and the Executive Engineer as to the measures to be adopted.—Communicated to Conservator of Forests.	24th	do
24	As submitted by the Conservator of Forests, an estimate amounting to Rs. 726 for repairing the sandal koti at Sagar was sanctioned.—Communicated to Deputy Accountant General.	Do	do
25	The Conservator of Forests was requested to obtain and submit to this Office additional particulars in connection with the free grant of wood	25th	do

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	and bamboos applied for by certain ryots of the Myra Village, Chital-droog District.		
26	In reply, the Conservator of Forests was informed that the Register and Map of State Forests in this Province and Coorg, forwarded by him, were incomplete, and he was requested to retransmit the same duly revised.	25th June 1874.	
27	On the recommendation of the Conservator of Forests, the grant of wood at half rates was sanctioned to enable certain ryots to re-build their houses.	Do do	
28	Copies of a letter and of its enclosures from the Government of India, commenting on the working of the District-Forest scheme in Mysore, was forwarded to the Conservator, with a request that he will draw up and submit a concise note on the subject.	26th do	
29	Copy of a letter from the Conservator of Forests, suggesting that permission may be given to his Department to fell such reserved trees as they may require on the unoccupied survey numbers without waiting for the permission of the Survey Department, was forwarded for the opinion of the Survey and Settlement Commissioner.	27th do	
30	In reply, the Conservator of Forests was informed that no more copies were available of a paper by Mr. Ballantyne reporting on the results of his experiments on the treatment of tap roots.	Do do	
31	A copy of the <i>Revue des Eaux et Forêts Annales Forestieres</i> , No. 5, May 1874, was forwarded to the Conservator for circulation to those Officers of his Department as are conversant with French.	29th do	30. 4. 74.
32	As solicited by the Conservator, sanction was conveyed to a charge of Rs. 4 per mensem at the rate of Rs. 2 for each watcher in the Mysore Range, up to 31st March 1875.	Do do	
33	As solicited by the Conservator of Forests, sanction was conveyed to a bill amounting to Rs. 300 on account of expenditure incurred on the Jakkur Fuel Plantation.	30th do	
34	Copy of a letter from the Commissioner of Nagar, requesting sanction to the free grant of bamboos required for fencing Government plantations including belts of trees, village topes, &c., was forwarded for the opinion thereof the Conservator of Forests.	Do do	

MYSORE CHIEF COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Bangalore, July 1874.

J. S. F. MACKENZIE,
Offg. Secretary.

PART II.

FINANCIAL.

B.

TABULAR STATEMENT OF MATTERS OF ROUTINE FOR THE MONTH OF JUNE 1874.

MYSORE.

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.		Date of previous Orders.
1	As solicited by the Ashtagram Commissioner, the repair of certain remittance boxes at a cost of Rs. 30—11—0 was sanctioned.—Communicated to Deputy Accountant General.	1st June 1874.		
2	As solicited by the Judicial Commissioner, the purchase of certain law books for the library of the Nundydroog Division Office, was sanctioned.—Communicated to Deputy Accountant General.	Do	do	
3	As solicited by the Inspector General of Registration, a statement of allowances proposed to be allotted to the native clerks of the Sub-Registry Offices, payable out of the commission drawn by the Sub-Registrars, during the current year 1874—75, was sanctioned.—Communicated to Deputy Accountant General.	Do	do	
4	In reply, samples and description of the paper alluded to by the Director General of Stores, London, was submitted to the Government of India, Financial Department.	Do	do	
5	Copies of communication from Under-Secretary to the Government of India, sanctioning the proposed revision of the establishment, maintained in the Lal-Bagh at Bangalore, entailing an extra cost of Rs. 64—5—4 per mensem, were forwarded to Superintendent, Lal-Bagh, and Deputy Accountant General.	Do	do	
6	As solicited by the Nagar Commissioner, the payment of acting allowance to the Head Munshi of his Office appointed to act for the Judicial Sheristadar who was away from his office on privilege leave was sanctioned.—Communicated to Deputy Accountant General.	Do	do	
7	On the representation of the Officiating Judicial Commissioner, the payment of gratuities aggregating Rs. 217—0—0 to two peons of the permanent establishment of the Central Jail was sanctioned.—Communicated to Deputy Accountant General.	2nd	do	
8	In reply, the Deputy Accountant General was informed that no further orders on the subject of the cloth surplus fund of the Military Assistant's Office appeared called for, as the treasure chest kept in the Office of the Military Assistant was a public one, for which that Officer was responsible.	Do	do	
9	As solicited by the Officiating Commissioner, Nagar Division, the grant of a gratuity of Rs. 161—0—0 to the heirs of peon Syed Hyder under Section 88, Rule 2 of the Civil Pousion Code, was sanctioned.—Communicated to Deputy Accountant General.	3rd	do	
10	On the representation of the Officiating Judicial Commissioner, a gratuity of Rs. 84—0—0 to a peon of the Central Jail was sanctioned.—Communicated to Deputy Accountant General.	4th	do	
11	As solicited by the Superintendent, Lal-Bagh, an advance of Rs. 250—0—0 was forwarded from the amount sanctioned for erecting a wall to the east of the plotting enclosure at the Lal-Bagh.	Do	do	
12	A contingent bill of expenses incurred in the Agricultural Department, during the months of April and May 1874, amounting to Rs. 60—10—3,	5th	do	

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	was forwarded to Deputy Accountant General countersigned for payment.		
13	Copy of communication from the Nundydroog Commissioner, recommending the transfer of the payment of the allowance payable to a Matt at Tirupati from the Betmangala Taluk Treasury in the Kolar District to that of Chendragiri in the North Arcot District, was forwarded to the Deputy Accountant General for opinion.	5th June 1874.	
14	As solicited by the Nundydroog Commissioner, the refund of Rs. 489—3—0 to certain ryots in the Kolar District, was sanctioned.—Communicated to Deputy Accountant General.	Do	do
15	On the representation of the Deputy Accountant General, two supplemental gratuity rolls amounting in the aggregate to Rs. 532—0—0, on behalf of Timma Nayik, Police Daffedar of the Tānkūr District, were sanctioned.	Do	do
16	Copies of Government of India, Financial Department Notification, No. 3144, dated 21st May 1874, prescribing dates for the submission of Budget estimates, were forwarded to Secretary, Department Public Works, Deputy Accountant General, and Conservator of Forests.	Do	do
17	As solicited by the Officiating Judicial Commissioner, an estimate for clothing for the establishment of the Bangalore Central Jail, for the current year amounting to Rs. 749—4—0, was sanctioned.—Communicated to Deputy Accountant General.	6th	do
18	A transfer receipt for Rs. 24, on account of subscription in advance to the Bombay Army List for 1874, was forwarded to the Publisher, Bombay Army List, Bombay.	Do	do
19	As submitted by the Deputy Accountant General, the grant of gratuities, on behalf of two Police men, amounting to Rs. 300, was sanctioned.	8th	do
20	As solicited by the Military Assistant, the disbursement of Rs. 9,506—4—0, on account of arms supplied on indent by the Madras Government, was sanctioned.—Communicated to Deputy Accountant General.	Do	do
21	The Agent of the Madras Bank was requested to furnish a bill of exchange favoring Doctor H. Cleghorn, Saint Andrews, Scotland, for 1. £.	Do	do
22	As solicited by the Nagar Commissioner, a supplemental bill amounting to Rs. 278, for the construction of a well in the town of Tarikere, was sanctioned.—Communicated to Deputy Accountant General.	Do	do
23	On the representation of the Ashtagram Commissioner, the grant of a pension of Rs. 100 to Hassan Kristnappa of the Attikuppa Taluk was sanctioned.—Communicated to Deputy Accountant General.	Do	do
24	As solicited by the Nundydroog Commissioner, a fresh appropriation of Rs. 228 to meet the cost of building an enclosure to the Distillery building at Kolar was sanctioned.—Communicated to Deputy Accountant General.	Do	do
25	A transfer receipt for Rs. 81—1—2, being the cost of dieting Mr. C. H. Ward alias Whittle, formerly an employé under this Government, at present an inmate of the Madras Lunatic Asylum, from 1st November 1873 to 30th April 1874, was forwarded to the Madras Government.	Do	do
26	Rupces 500 having been sanctioned for the experimental cultivation of Hinginghat cotton in the Mysore District, the Deputy Accountant General was requested to indicate the head to which the amount can be debited in the current year's Budget.—Communicated to Ashtagram Commissioner.	10th	do

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27	As solicited by the Deputy Accountant General, an estimate amounting to Rs. 46-8-0, for supply of belts to the peons of his Department, was sanctioned.	10th	June 1874.	
28	As solicited by the Anche Bakshi, a monthly expenditure of Rs. 1-7-8, on account of firesticks to be supplied to certain anche runners, was sanctioned.—Communicated to Deputy Commissioners of Hassan and Shimoga, and Deputy Accountant General.	Do	do	
29	As solicited by the Officiating Judicial Commissioner, the purchase of 165 large punches for cancelling stamps, and a similar number of record punches, for the use of the several Courts in this Province and Coorg at a cost of Rs. 1,470-8-0, was sanctioned.—Communicated to Deputy Accountant General.	11th	do	
30	As solicited by the Commissioner, Nagar Division, an estimate amounting to Rs. 1,059, for constructing a car for the Ramesvara temple at Tirthahalli, was sanctioned.—Communicated to Deputy Accountant General.	Do	do	
31	As solicited by the Ashtagram Commissioner, the purchase of paper, &c., for chittas and pattas in the Mysore District at a cost of Rs. 253-2-11, was sanctioned.—Communicated to Deputy Accountant General.	12th	do	
32	A memo received from the Commissary of Ordnance, relative to the cost of certain rifles furnished by the Madras Government for the destruction of wild animals, was forwarded to the Deputy Accountant General, with a request that after adjusting the amount, <i>viz.</i> , Rs. 366-4-5, the Treasury Officer's receipt may be obtained and forwarded to this Office for transmission to the Commissary of Ordnance.	13th	do	Vide Progs. for April 1874, Part II, General No. 67.
33	As solicited by the Compiler, Mysore Gazette, the purchase of three patent locks at a cost of Rs. 3 was sanctioned.—Communicated to Deputy Accountant General.	Do	do	
34	In continuation of previous orders in his Municipal Budget estimates, the Nagar Commissioner was requested to note that the rate of duty on all houses should be computed at 7½ per cent on their annual rental according to the practice in force in the North-Western Provinces and elsewhere, and that a fresh estimate of the expected revenue from this source in the Shimoga Municipality should therefore be submitted.—Communicated to Deputy Accountant General.	Do	do	
35	Copy of Government of India, Foreign Department No. 1285, P, forwarding copy of Despatch from Her Majesty's Secretary of State sanctioning the removal of the Maharaj from Mysore to Bangalore, was forwarded to the Guardian to His Highness, with an intimation that the Public Works Department had been directed to push on the completion of the house purchased for the Maharaj so as to ensure its being ready for his reception by the period that has been fixed for his removal to Bangalore.	15th	do	
36	Copy of Government of India, Financial Department Resolution No. 345, accepting Mysore Budget estimates for 1874-75, was forwarded to the Deputy Accountant General.	16th	do	
37	As solicited by the Director of Public Instruction, the purchase of the books noted for supply to Government taluk schools at a cost of Rs. 92-12-0 was sanctioned.—Communicated to Deputy Accountant General.	17th	do	
38	Rupees 250 were remitted to the proprietor of the "Ikhasimul Akbar" in adjustment of his subscription from 1st December 1873 to 1st June 1874.	Do	do	
39	As solicited by the Nundydroog Commissioner, a bill for Rs. 8, being the salary, for April 1874, of two watermen employed in the bamboo plantations near Government-House compound, was sanctioned.—Communicated to Deputy Accountant General.	18th	do	

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40	As solicited by the Officiating Superintendent of Inam Settlements, a permanent advance of Rs. 25 per mensem being made for contingent expenses to Mr. Kitto was sanctioned.—Communicated to Deputy Accountant General.	18th June 1874.	
41	In reply to Commissioner, Ashtagram Division, who reported that Mr. Sanderson had secured from 30 to 35 elephants, sanction was conveyed to the grant of an advance of Rs. 500 to defray current expenses as also to the employment as a temporary measure of an Accountant on a salary of Rs. 20 per mensem to help Mr. Sanderson in keeping his accounts.	Do do	
42	In continuation of previous reference on the subject, the Ashtagram Commissioner was informed that the Rs. 500 sanctioned for experimental cultivation of Hinginghat cotton seed in the Mysore District will be met from the current year's Budget provision under head 26—Miscellaneous.	Do do	Vide this Statement No.
43	Under circumstances represented, the grant of a gratuity to one Gollar Ranga was sanctioned subject to a deduction of twice the value of certain Government articles stolen by the man for which he was convicted and sentenced to a month's simple imprisonment.	Do do	
44	As solicited by Nundydroog Commissioner, the refund of Rs. 4, being the pay of the sweeper of the Jangankote Travellers' Bungalow, was sanctioned.	19th do	
45	Copy of Government of India, Financial Department Resolution No. 3612, dated 9th June 1874, conveying orders with reference to a recent defalcation in a Money Order Office was forwarded to the Deputy Accountant General, and his attention was drawn to para 3.	Do do	
46	As solicited by Ashtagram Commissioner, the payment of Rs. 46—8—0 for the purchase of new seals for the use of his and the Deputy Commissioner's Office was sanctioned.—Communicated to Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
47	A completion bill in adjustment of advances made, amounting to Rs. 700, for repairing the Superintendent's Bungalow and Office at Lal-Bagh, was forwarded to the Deputy Accountant General.—Communicated to Superintendent, Lal-Bagh.	20th do	
48	A transfer receipt for Rs. 13—8—0, in adjustment of charges on account of three copies of the "Indian Annals of Medical Service," was forwarded to Messrs. Thacker Spink & Co., Calcutta.	Do do	
49	A transfer receipt for Rs. 6—4—0, in adjustment of the value of certain books supplied, was forwarded to Messrs. Higginbotham & Co., Madras.	Do do	
50	On the representation of the Officiating Commissioner, Nagar Division, a gratuity of Rs. 82—9—3 on behalf of the Venkatagiriappa, a Shanbhog, was sanctioned.—Communicated to Deputy Accountant General with application.	22nd do	
51	In reply, the draft of modification of Rule, 7 of the Chanda Fund Rules was forwarded to the Military Assistant for adoption if found suitable.	Do do	
52	Copy of communication from the Secretary in the Department, Public Works, requesting that a sum of Rs. 500 be allotted from muzrayi funds for preliminary work connected with the repairs of the Belur temple was forwarded to the Deputy Accountant General to arrange for its payment.—Communicated to Secretary, Department Public Works.	Do do	Vide Part I, of Vol. for March 1874, Nos.
53	Copy of Despatch to Her Majesty's Secretary of State, submitting the indent for swords and scabbards for the Mysore Siledar Horse, received from Under-Secretary, Financial Department, was forwarded to Military Assistant.	Do do	

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
54	In reply, a report was submitted to the Government of India, Financial Department, on a petition submitted by Mr. Middlecat, late Head Accountant, Chief Commissioner's Treasury, relative to the circumstances under which he forfeited Government employ.	23rd June 1874.	
55	A plan and estimate for certain improvements to the new bandy-stand at Shimoga, amounting to Rs. 277, was returned to Nagar Commissioner duly sanctioned.—Communicated to Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
56	An estimate amounting to Rs. 616, for clearing a large piece of land to adopt it for the site of a market proposed to be constructed in the town of Kolar, was returned to Nundydroog Commissioner duly sanctioned.—Communicated to Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
57	As solicited by Nundydroog Commissioner, the refund of Rs. 30 to one Nanjappa, being the purchase money paid by him for a building site in the Bangalore District, was sanctioned.—Communicated to Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
58	An indent in duplicate for articles required for the Medical Department, for 1875—76, was submitted to the Government of India, Financial Department, for submission to the Secretary of State for India in Council.	Do do	
59	As solicited by the Director of Public Instruction, the purchase of certain school furniture at a cost of Rs. 433, for supply to Provincial Schools, was sanctioned.—Communicated to Deputy Accountant General.	24th do	
60	As solicited by the Honorary Secretary, Mysore Agri-Horticultural Society, Bangalore, a grant-in-aid of Rs. 200 to the Monsoon Show was sanctioned.—Communicated to Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
61	As solicited by the Military Assistant, the purchase of 570 cap bags obtained for the use of the Barr was sanctioned.—Communicated to Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
62	As solicited by the Director of Public Instruction, the disbursement of the items entered in the Budgets for 1873—74 and 1874—75 for pupil teachers in anticipation of the further orders of the Government of India was sanctioned.—Communicated to Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
63	Under circumstances represented by the Director of Public Instruction, the disbursement of the full amount of Rs. 40 per mensem, being grant-in-aid sanctioned by the Government of India for the Cantonment Orphanage, Bangalore, was authorized on the understanding that its conditions would be strictly acted up to.—Communicated to Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	Vide Progs. for May 1874, Part II, General, No.
64	On the representation of the Nundydroog Commissioner, the grant of gratuities aggregating Rs. 539 to two peons was sanctioned.—Communicated to Deputy Accountant General with applications.	Do do	
65	As solicited by the Judicial Commissioner, an appropriation of Rs. 500, from the current year's Budget for repairing the damage done to the Police lines by the recent heavy rains, was sanctioned.—Communicated to Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
66	On the report of the Deputy Accountant General, the transfer of a Mutchi on the Chief Commissioner's establishment to the pension list on Rs. 12—8—0 per mensem was sanctioned.	Do do	
67	As solicited by the Ashtagram Commissioner, the purchase of a tin box for the use of the Mysore District Treasury was sanctioned.—Communicated to Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
68	Copy of Resolution No. 3777 by the Financial Department, ruling that the pay of a Covenanted Medical Officer shall be debited to the	25th do	

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
	Department in which he is employed, was forwarded to the Deputy Surgeon General for information.		
69	An application for the grant, as a special case, of a gratuity of Rs. 108 to one Raja Ram, a revenue peon, was submitted for the sanction of the Government of India in the Foreign Department.	25th June 1874.	
70	A statement of cash balances for June 1874 was returned with thanks to the Deputy Accountant General.	26th do	
71	As requested by the Judicial Commissioner, the temporary employment of two lascars on Rs. 8 each per mensem, to proceed in charge of tents belonging to the Deputy Inspector General of Police, who is at present on a tour of inspection, was sanctioned.—Communicated to Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
72	On the representation of the Commissioner, Ashtagram Division, the disbursement of a gratuity of Rs. 367—8—0 to a peon in the Hassan Deputy Commissioner's Office was sanctioned.—Communicated to Deputy Accountant General with application.	Do do	
73	As solicited by the Military Assistant, sanction was conveyed to the value of 280 Nipple-wrenches, obtained for the use of the Barr Regiments amounting to Rs. 35, being charged to the head "Purchase of Ammunition, &c.," in the current year's Budget.	27th do	
74	Two statements, one of pensions and the other of gratuities sanctioned by the Chief Commissioner during the quarter ending 31st March 1874, was submitted to the Government of India in the Foreign Department.	Do do	
75	As solicited by the Commissioner of Nagar, sanction was conveyed to an appropriation of Rs. 2,751—3—6, from certain heads in the Budget of 1874—75, to meet the cost of scales and weights required for the Sayer Kattes in the Shimoga and Kadur Districts.	29th do	
76	In reply, the Commissioner of Ashtagram was furnished with a statement showing the regular charges payable, with the Chief Commissioner's sanction, from the Muzrayi surplus fund.	30th do	
77	As solicited by the Judicial Commissioner, sanction was conveyed to an expenditure of Rs. 13—14—0 in making up belts for the peons of the Judicial Assistant's Court at Mysore.	Do do	
78	On the recommendation of the Conservator of Forests, the purchase of a new Rowtie, at a cost of Rs. 95, for the use of the Assistant Conservator, Mysore Range, was sanctioned.	Do do	Vide Part II, Forests, 22nd June 1874, No.
79	As requested by the Superintendent of the Mysore Government Museum, sanction was conveyed to the purchase of six glass cases at Rs. 50 each and two glass covers at Rs. 32 each, for the use of the Museum.	Do do	
80	As recommended by the Commissioner of Ashtagram, sanction was conveyed to two estimates aggregating Rs. 1,179, for constructing a V shaped drain at Ganjam and for opening a new gate through the ramparts of the Seringapatam Fort.	Do do	

MYSORE CHIEF COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Bangalore, July 1874.

J. S. F. MACKENZIE,
Offg. Secretary.

PART II.

GENERAL.

B.

TABULAR STATEMENT OF MATTERS OF ROUTINE FOR THE MONTH OF JUNE 1874.

MYSORE.

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
1	A communication from the President, Cantonment Municipal Commission, on the subject of the water supply for Bangalore, was forwarded to the Secretary to the Chief Commissioner in the Department Public Works.—Communicated to President, Municipal Commission.	1st June 1874.	<i>Vide Progs. for May, 1874, Part II, General, No.</i>
2	Copy of communication from Acting Collector, Kaudeshi, reporting that the wheat seed applied for from this Office would be forwarded, was sent to Colonel Boddam.	Do do	
3	Five proposition statements from the Director of Public Instruction, for grants-in-aid to 3 Hindustani and 2 Sanskrit schools, were submitted to the Government of India, Home Department.	2nd do	
4	As solicited by the Nundydroog Commissioner, the conversion of a portion of the Musafarkhana, now under construction, at Nittur in the Tamluk District into a chatram (feeding house) was sanctioned.—Communicated to Chief Engineer and Secretary, Department Public Works.	Do do	
5	Notification relative to certain changes in the existing distribution of officiating appointments, in the grades of Deputy and Assistant Commissioners, consequent on the return of Major Clarke to duty, was gazetted, and copies sent to Commissioners, Nundydroog and Ashtagram.	Do do	<i>Vide Part II of Progs. for May, General, No.</i>
6	A petition from Subba Rao Nalige, Risaldar of the 6th Regiment, was forwarded to the Military Assistant to report the reasons for the applicant's compulsory retirement.	Do do	
7	A telegram was sent to the Commissary of Ordnance, Madras, to expedite the despatch of certain stationery cases.	Do do	
8	An estimate submitted by Ashtagram Commissioner for Rupees 735—0—0 for the construction of V shaped drains in the town of Hassan was sanctioned.	Do do	
9	Copy of a communication from the Secretary, Department Public Works, stating that no Surveyor could be spared for preparing plans, &c., in connection with the boundary dispute between the South Canara and Hassan Districts, was forwarded to Ashtagram Commissioner, with instructions that the Hassan Deputy Commissioner might employ a suitable man, himself, for the purpose.	Do do	
10	The Superintendent, Mysore Government Museum, was requested to state if he could procure samples of the Deora Jute.	3rd do	
11	In reply, Colonel Boddam was requested to grow as an experiment on a quarter of an acre or land the <i>Hibiscus Camaribinus</i> and report the results to this Office.	Do do	
12	Notification granting Mr. Hewelson, Assistant Superintendent of Police, one month's privilege leave of absence from 4th June 1874, and appointing Captain Blair to the charge of the Police was gazetted, and copies sent to Officers concerned.	Do do	

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13	Copy of Government of India No. 1—56, forwarding circulars issued by Her Majesty's Commissioners for the International Exhibition of 1874, on the subject of the formation of a collection to illustrate the ethnology and geography of the different portions of the British dominions, was transmitted to Colonel Pearse, President of the Local Committee, for early report.	3rd June 1874.	
14	The Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District was requested to take immediate notice of the neglect on the part of the Amildar of the Bangalore Taluk, to furnish information required for the settlement of Kengeri and Yelahanka, through which the settlement of both these villages has been stopped this season.	Do do	
15	The Deputy Commissioner, Hassan District, was informed that the Amildar of Arkalgud had failed to render assistance in connection with certain measures and repairs required to the Ramnathpur channel, and he was directed to take at once effective steps to compel that official to do his duty in the matter.	Do do	
16	In reply, the Commissioner of the Ashtagram Division was informed that it was very desirable to have a survey trace made of the disputed frontier between the Yelandur Jhalagir and Coimbatore, before Colonel Anderson visited the place, and he was requested to address the Collector of Coimbatore on the subject.	Do do	Vide Progs for April 1874, Part II, Rev: Agri. and Com. No.
17	Referring to the Proceedings of the Cantonment Municipal Commission under date 19th idem, the President of the Cantonment Municipal Commission was requested to report the grounds on which the payment of a certain percentage to the Bangalore Sar Amin and the Supervisor, Saddar Distillery, on account of certain amounts realized by them.	Do do	
18	Copy of a further communication from the Adjutant General of the Army, Fort Saint George, relative to claims put forward by certain parties in England to amounts due them by Colonel Boddam, was forwarded to that officer for a detailed statement of the arrangements he has made to satisfy the claims referred to.	Do do	Vide Progs for May 1874, Part II, General, No.
9	The Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, Bombay, was requested to furnish a copy of the narrative of the Bombay Inam Commission and Supplementary Settlements compiled by Colonel Etheridge, c. s. i.	4th do	
20	Copy of a communication from the Madras Government on the subject was forwarded to the Right Reverend Doctor Chevalier, with a request that the baptism certificate therein alluded to may be furnished to this Office.	Do do	
21	Messrs. Higginbotham & Co. were requested to furnish this Office with a copy of the "History of the reign of Tippu Sultan."	5th do	
22	A monthly tabular statement of vacancies and a register of effective and non-effective officers employed in this Province and Coorg, with proportionate return for May 1874, was submitted to the Government of India, Foreign Department.	6th do	
23	Copy of Government of India No. 1159, G, dated 30th May 1874, passing orders on Lieutenant-Colonel Bruce's appeal against his supersession in the Mysore Commission, was forwarded to Nagar Commissioner, for communication to Colonel Bruce.	Do do	
24	Copy of communication from the Government of India in the Department of Revenue, Agriculture and Commerce, was forwarded to the Secretary in the Financial Department, with a request that the monthly volumes of the Chief Commissioner's Proceedings intended for it and forwarded to the Financial Department since May 1872, may be made over.—Communicated to the Government of India in the Department of Revenue, Agriculture and Commerce, with an intimation that if so	Do do	

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	desired all future copies of the Chief Commissioner's Proceedings will be forwarded direct to his Department.		
25	In reply, a baptismal certificate obtained from the Roman Catholic Church at Bangalore was forwarded to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, with an intimation that the fee to be paid for the same was one rupee.	8th June 1874.	Vide this Statement No.
26	An extract from a report, received from the Anche Dakshi, relative to the death of a shikar from the effects of a gun shot wound, was forwarded to the Hassan Deputy Commissioner for report.	9th do	
27	Copy of Government of India, Revenue Department No. 1284, dated 30th May 1874, was transmitted to Colonel Puckle to forward a dozen good pods of the vanilla to this Office carefully packed.	Do do	
28	Copy of Government of India, Home Department Resolution, dated 28th May 1874, relating to the administration of the Registration Department in the different Presidencies and Provinces for the year 1872-73, was forwarded to the Inspector General of Registration in this Province and Coorg, with a request that he would consider carefully in communication with the local officers if any thing could be done to extend the operations of the Department.	Do do	
29	Copies of Government of India, Home Department Resolution, sanctioning proposals for utilizing the surplus allotment for education from Local Cess Funds, were forwarded to the Director of Public Instruction and the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
30	A bi-monthly return of stores under provision by the Director General of Stores for India up to 26th February 1874, was circulated for the information of the Heads of Departments concerned.	10th do	
31	In reply, the Chief Commissioner's remarks were communicated to the Post Master General of Madras, relative to a case of abstraction of certain currency notes from a registered letter while in transit.	Do do	
32	In reply, the Ashtagram Commissioner was directed to instruct Doctor Houston to analyse the water of the different wells in the town of Mysore, as also to have a well sunk in the quarter indicated, and a sample of the water forwarded to this Office.	Do do	
33	In reply, the Government of India in the Department of Revenue, Agriculture and Commerce was informed that, as no objections existed to the course suggested by Doctor Hunter, the necessary corrections had been made in the list of the names of places in this Province prepared on the system of orthography proposed to be adopted and that the instructions conveyed in para 4 of the Government letter would be duly carried out.	11th do	
34	A silver hunting watch was presented to Subraju, Anche Mutsaddi, Bangalore, in recognition of his exertions which led to the conviction of an individual, who wrote threatening and anonymous letters to the Chief Commissioner.	Do do	
35	As solicited by the Ashtagram Commissioner, the entertainment of a Sub-Overseer on a salary of Rs. 30 per mensem, for supervising the works proposed to be executed for the Dodkere supply channel, &c., in the town of Mysore, was sanctioned, the cost being debited to the Municipality.	Do do	
36	Colonel J. Puckle was requested to make arrangements to obtain for the Museum samples of the Deora Jute in communication with Dr. Oswald.—Communicated to Dr. Oswald.	Do do	Vide this Statement No.
37	In reply, the proprietor of the "Mysore Akhar" was informed that a copy of his paper would be subscribed for, and that a copy of the Local Gazette would be furnished to him free as at present.	13th do	

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38	Copy of Government of India No. 1935, dated 5th instant, relative to maize seed, despatched to Port Blair, was forwarded to Colonel Boddam, with a request that the information called for by the Government of India may be furnished as early as possible.	13th June 1874.	
39	In continuation of previous communication on the subject, a set of photographs of the cases of leprosy treated at the different stages of the cure with the chaulmogra oil and the oil of the cashew nut was forwarded to the Deputy Surgeon General of Hospitals.	Do do	<i>Vide Progs.</i> for April 1874, No. 69.
40	The Superintendent of the Government Press was requested to keep unbound certain copies of the Mysore General Census of 1871 which are at present with him, until receipt of further orders from this Office.	Do do	
41	Notification promoting Ganés Sing, 3rd Grade Amildar of the Manjarabad Taluk, to the 2nd Grade, <i>vice</i> Hassan Kristnappa pensioned, was gazetted, and copy sent to Commissioner, Ashtagram Division.	15th do	
42	A memorial from Mr. J. Middlecoat, late Head Accountant in the Chief Commissioner's Treasury, to the address of the Private Secretary to His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor General, was forwarded to the Deputy Accountant General for early report.	Do do	
43	Notification granting Mr. Shanmugavelu Pille five weeks' privilege leave was gazetted, and copy sent to Officiating Commissioner, Ashtagram Division.	Do do	
44	The Officiating Judicial Commissioner was informed that, on the recommendation of the Commissioner, Ashtagram Division, the Chief Commissioner had sanctioned the charge of the Hassan District Treasury being made over to Mr. Tirumalachari, Judicial Assistant of the District as a temporary measure, and he was requested to report whether he had any objections to offer to Judicial Assistants being placed in permanent charge of the District Jail and Treasury.	Do do	
45	As solicited by Ashtagram Commissioner, sanction was conveyed to the remission of stamp penalty due by one Timmauna who is reported to be unable from poverty to meet the demand.	Do do	
46	The President of the Municipal Commission was requested to report if the Municipality could contribute in some measure to the education of the people of Bangalore, as its income had considerably increased from the surrenders recently made from the State revenue.	Do do	
47	Copy of Government of India No. 1217 on the lateness of the period at which the indent for clothes for the use of the Mysore Troops, for 1874—75 has been forwarded, was communicated to Military Assistant.	16th do	
48	In reply, the Agent of the Mysore Rajadhani Bank, who solicited the extension of Act V of 1866, was informed that pending the introduction of the Munsiff's scheme, when the Judicial Assistants will have small cause jurisdiction up to Rs. 300, the small cause power exercised at present by the Judicial Assistants in the case of promissory notes for a place like Mysore appeared sufficient.	Do do	
49	In reply, the Deputy Surgeon General of Hospitals was authorized to issue a notice inviting candidates for 12 appointments as medical pupils, the number fixed for the current year, and he was informed that when Hospital Assistants were available to assume charge of the new Dispensaries, the latter will be established in the localities where they appear to be most required.	17th do	
50	In reply, the Commissioner of the Nundydroog Division was requested to submit further explanation in regard to a case in involving the conduct of Annaswamiengar, the Amildar of Magadi.	Do do	

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51	Copy of communication from Government of India, Foreign Department, relative to the Census Report for this Province, was forwarded to Major Lindsay.	18th June 1874.	<i>Vide Progs., for April 1874, Part I General, Nos.</i>
52	Copy of a communication from the Conservator of Forests bringing to notice certain discrepancies in the last Quarterly Gradation and Distribution List was forwarded to Deputy Accountant General for information and guidance.	Do do	
53	Referring to previous communications on the subject, the instructions of the Government of India, Foreign Department, were solicited as to whether under the orders republished in Notification of the Home Department, No. 3421, dated 28th August 1872, public servants in this Province were debarred from becoming shareholders in the local banks.	Do do	
54	The President of the Town Municipal Commission, Bangalore, was requested to commence the improvement to the pete main drainage as early as possible.	Do do	
55	The transfer of certain Anche officials as recommended by the Anche Bakshi was sanctioned.	19th do	
56	A notification relative to the annual examination of candidates for admission to the Mysore Subordinate Medical Department was forwarded to the Compiler, Mysore Gazette, for publication, and he was directed to furnish the Deputy Surgeon General of Hospitals with 100 spare copies of the same.—Communicated to Deputy Surgeon General of Hospitals.	Do do	
57	Copy of communication from the Government of India, Home Department, enquiring whether any grants are given by the Mysore State to the "Indian Female Normal School and Institution Society" was forwarded to the Director of Public Instruction for report.	Do do	
58	Colonel Puckle was requested to retain charge of the Lal Bagh until the termination of the present rainy season, and the Chief Commissioner's thanks were conveyed to him for his very valuable labors and exertions in improving the garden.	Do do	
59	Copy of Government of India, Department of Revenue, Agriculture and Commerce communication No. 2—275, dated 25th May 1874, forwarding Resolution, directing that, from 31st March 1874, all local subscriptions to the Indian Economist should cease, was forwarded to the Director of Public Instruction for information, and with a request that the copy obtained for the High School Library should therefore be discontinued, a copy being always obtainable from the Chief Commissioner's Library if required for reference.	Do do	
60	In reply, the Commissioner of Ashtagram Division was requested to convey the Chief Commissioner's acknowledgments to Mr. Sanderson, for his successful exertions in the matter of the destruction of three tigers with strychnine.	Do do	
61	A communication from Doctor Houston, on the subject, was forwarded to the Judicial Commissioner for opinion as to whether the Magistrate trying a case which was likely to be committed to the High Court was to be the Judge, of what articles requiring chemical examination were to be sent to Madras, and what to Mysore.	Do do	
62	The Commissioner of the Ashtagram Division was requested to furnish the service register of Mr. Assistant Commissioner Srinivasanagar, for the Chief Commissioner's inspection.	20th do	
63	The Protector of Emigration, Madras, was requested to furnish for incorporation in the Administration Report, information relating to the number of natives of Mysore, who had emigrated from and returned to India, through his agency, during 1873—74.	Do do	

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64	In reply, the Deputy Commissioner, Shimoga District, was requested to forward to the Lal Bagh, Bangalore, three cheeta cubs taken to him for reward.—Communicated to Colonel Puckle.	20th June 1874.		
65	The Agent and Manager, Madras Railway, was requested to furnish a comparative statement of the traffic on the Bangalore Branch line, for the past and previous official years, for incorporation in the Annual Administration Report of this Province.	Do	do	
66	The Superintendent of the Mysore Government Press was requested to furnish this Office in future with twenty additional copies of the Monthly Proceedings for distribution to Heads of Departments.	Do	do	
67	Copies of Chief Commissioner's Diary of Proceedings were forwarded to the Government of India in the Foreign, Revenue, Agriculture and Commerce, Home, and Financial Departments.	Do	do	
68	The Secretary, Agriculture and Horticultural Society of India, Calcutta, was requested to furnish this Administration with certain copies of the journal of his Society on payment.	Do	do	
69	Certain designs for sandal-wood carving, submitted by Nagar Commissioner, were returned to that Officer with a request that 6 of them may be selected and put in hand, the cost of preparing the carvings being intimated.	Do	do	Vide Progs. for April 1874, Part II, General, No.
70	In reply, a statement showing the number of newspapers published in this Province with the languages in which they are so published, &c., was forwarded to Raja Ramachendra, District of Ganjam, Cassebugga.	22nd	do	
71	The Secretary, Department Public Works, and the Conservator of Forests, were requested to forward as usual the sections connected with their Departments for insertion in the Administration Report of the Province for 1873—74.	Do	do	
72	Copy of communication from Collector of Kandesh on the value of certain wheat supplied was forwarded to Colonel Boddam for adjustment at an early date.	23rd	do	Vide Progs. for month of May, Part II, General, No.
73	A statement shewing particulars of the population of the town of Chikmagalur and its suburbs was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner, Kador District.	Do	do	
74	As requested, a copy of the Chief Commissioner's Diary of Proceedings for the month of May was forwarded to the Judicial Commissioner, with an intimation that no back numbers were available.	Do	do	
75	Referring to an application made by the Head Master, Kolar District School, requesting that he may be provided with free quarters, the Director of Public Instruction was requested to state if there was any rule on the subject in the Educational Department.	Do	do	
76	The Director of Public Instruction was requested to register the name of Mr. Hicks, Assistant Conservator of Forests, as a candidate for examination in Hindustani to be held in July next.—Communicated to Conservator of Forests.	24th	do	
77	Copy of communication from the Government of India, Home Department, forwarding an amended form in which licenses to manufacture or deal in arms and ammunition should be granted, was forwarded to the Judicial Commissioner.	Do	do	
78	Copy of a communication from the Deputy Accountant General relative to the grant of certain special pensions and gratuities was forwarded to the Nundydroog Commissioner, with a request that medical certificates may be furnished on behalf of the men referred to.	Do	do	
79	In reply, the President of the Cantonment Municipal Commission was informed that the Chief Commissioner approved of certain proposals	Do	do	

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	made by a Committee elected to enquire into the complaint of certain native residents of Alsar in the Cantonment of Bangalore against the imposition of a cart tax, and he was requested to inform the petitioners accordingly, and that any one dissatisfied may appeal to the Deputy Commissioner of the District who was authorized to dispose of the case.		
80	Messrs. Higginbotham & Co. were requested to forward a copy of "Doctor Nicholson's Treatise on Indian Snakes," 2nd edition.	26th June 1874.	
81	In reply, the Government of India in the Home Department were informed that no grants were given by this Administration to the "Indian Female Normal School and Instruction Society."	Do do	
82	Copy of a communication from the Nagar Commissioner on the subject of convicts working free of charge on certain works connected with the improvement of the town of Shimoga was forwarded to the Judicial Commissioner for opinion on the points noted.	Do do	
83	An application from Captain J. S. F. Mackenzie, Madras Staff Corps, for permission to proceed to England on private affairs under the Rules of 1868, was submitted to the Government of India.	27th do	
84	Copy of a letter conveying the opinion of the Government of India on the General Census Report of Mysore was forwarded to Major Lindsay.	Do do	
85	In reply, the President of the Bangalore Cantonment Municipal Commission was informed that only memo of propositions to be laid before the Commissioners may be sent direct to the Compiler of the Mysore Gazette for publication, but that the Proceedings should be sent for the approval of the Chief Commissioner before insertion in the Gazette.—Communicated to the Compiler, Mysore Gazette.	29th do	
86	The grant of ten days' casual leave to Captain Maltby, Officiating Deputy Commissioner of Chitaldroog, was sanctioned, and the arrangements made by the Commissioner of Nagar for the charge of the District during that officer's absence approved.	Do do	
87	The Chief Commissioner's Review on the Mysore Registration Report for 1873—74, was sent to the Press, with a request that it may be printed with the Registration Report already sent.	Do do	
88	An indent for arms and ammunition required for exterminating wild animals in Mysore, was sent to the Commissary of Ordnance for issue on payment.	Do do	
89	Notification granting the Amildar of Manjarabad one month's privilege leave, and appointing the Peshkar of the Taluk to act instead, was gazetted, and copy sent to the Commissioner of the Ashtagram Division.	30th do	
90	Notification granting Colonel T. Clerk, Commissioner of Nagar, privilege leave for 6 weeks, was gazetted, and copies sent to Mr. Ricketts and Major Lindsay.	Do do	
91	Notification granting the Amildar of the Honnali Taluk privilege leave for one month was gazetted, and a copy sent to the Commissioner of the Nagar Division.	Do do	
92	A Bye-law prohibiting persons afflicted with leathsome disease from vending articles of food in the bazars within the limits of the Bangalore Municipality was forwarded to the Compiler, Mysore Gazette, for publication.	Do do	Vide Part II, General, 6th May 1874.
93	Certain original papers received from the Government of Madras, questioning the legality of the tax imposed by the Bangalore Cantonment Municipality on bricks carted into Municipal limits for the Military Department, were forwarded to the President of the Municipal Commission for report on certain points.	Do do	

PART II.

EDUCATIONAL.

B.

TABULAR STATEMENT OF MATTERS OF ROUTINE FOR THE MONTH OF JUNE 1874.

MYSORE.

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.		Date of previous Orders.
1	An extract (para 2) from the Proceedings of the Government of India, Foreign Department, No. 1255, G, dated 12th June 1874, was forwarded to the Director of Public Instruction, with a request that he will submit his views on the subject of the influence of the Madras University Examinations in directing the course of English studies in Mysore.	26th June 1874		
2	Copy of a letter from the Deputy Accountant General on the subject of the state of the Educational Cess during the year 1873—74 was communicated to the Director of Public Instruction, with a request that he will submit his views on the subject of pensions and gratuities for Hobli School Masters.	30	do	177 th Part II, "General," 29th April 1874 and 8th June 1874.
3	Two copies of the General Report on Public Instruction in Bengal, for 1872—73, received from the Government of Bengal, were forwarded to the Director of Public Instruction.	30th	do	

MYSORE CHIEF COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Bangalore, July 1874.

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Offg. Secretary.

PART II.

MILITARY.

B.

TABULAR STATEMENT OF MATTERS OF ROUTINE FOR THE MONTH OF JUNE 1874.
MYSORE.

o.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
1	Copy of endorsement from Under-Secretary, Foreign Department, forwarding copy of a letter from the Military Secretary to the Viceroy enquiring whether Captain Haloman, <i>Olig. Adjutant of the Bangalore Volunteer Rifles</i> , had qualified himself at Hythe or Fleetwood to instruct in musketry, was forwarded to the Commandant of the Corps for early report.	5th June 1874.	
2	In reply, a report was submitted to the Government of India, Foreign Department, relative to Captain Haloman's qualifications to instruct in musketry, and under the circumstances represented sanction was solicited to that Officer being confirmed in the appointment.	17th	do
3	At the instance of the Deputy Adjutant General, Fort Saint George, the Military Assistant was requested to direct Naiguc Mahomed Kasim of the 2nd Regiment, Light Cavalry, doing duty with the Siledars, to proceed to Kamptee and to report himself to the Commandant of his Regiment.—Communicated to the Deputy Adjutant General of the Army, Fort Saint George.	27th	do

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